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Janet Dearborn (Jan. 1918--Oct. 1933)

Sophomore

Albert Taylor (July 1916--Nov. 1933)

Junior

Kenneth Platt (July 1916--Nov. 1933)

Senior

ADMINISTRATION



SELMER H. BERG
Superintendent of Schools



EARL H. HANSON
Principal of High School



GEORGIA T. FIRST
Assistant Principal of High School

THINGS AS THEY ARE

THIS annual is a record of things as they are—things as they are at Rock Island High School. Here are pictures and pictures of the students. Here are the stories of what they did in one year of school. Here are the teachers who taught them their lessons. Here is a glowing account of the football games they won, of the Big Nine contests in which they scored, of the successful plays they presented, of the honor rolls they made. Here are the attentive assemblies, the observance of regulations, the supporting school spirit. These are things as they are; but they are the pleasant things; they are the things we like to hear about.

This annual also records, by the conspicuity of its absence, the fact that there are no gym classes and no athletic events for girls. The high school gymnasium is so small that basketball practice must be held at a junior high school. Our school assembly seats only half of the students comfortably at one time, necessitating two assemblies each Friday. Classes are crowded in a school of over 1,300, which was built to accommodate only 800. These statements are not meant to discredit the school; it is a fine school. But, nevertheless, this, too, is an evidence of things as they are.

To Miss Sara McElhinney, art director; to Mildred Cook, Helen Fowler, Carl Noack, and Alice Lindstrom, art students; to Mr. Oscar G. Ericson of the Augustana Book Concern, and Mr. Luther Franzen of Jahn and Ollier Engraving Company, technical advisers; to Miss Cora L. Stoddard, adviser, for their generous services and valuable advice in making this annual a true picture of the school, the editors say, "Thank you."

—EDITOR.



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GEORGE D. BAIRD, B.S.
Chemistry
G. A. BERCHEKAS, B.S., B. Music
Band
DAVID J. BORTH, A.B.
Printing



BESSIE BLADEL, A.B.
Library
MALVINA M. CALOINE, A.M.
French
J. R. CLARK, B.S.
Mechanical Drawing



HELEN M. DOWNING
Office
ALVERDA DOXEY, A.B.
Latin, Social Science
F. W. DUNLAP, A.B.
Physics



CARRIE EKBLAD, A.B.
Shorthand, Typing
ANNIE E. FERGUSON, B.S.
English
GEORGIA T. FIRST, A.M.
Latin



ANNA L. GROTH
Study Hall
IRENE M. HAAN, M.S.
Home Economics
DOROTHY HARDER, A.B.
English



J. M. HUCKINS, A.B.
Typing, Bookkeeping
EVA M. IRVINE, A.B.
Social Science
W. L. KIMMEL, A.B.
Biology



ETHEL MAE KRUEGER, A.B.
Biology
SARAH C. LARAWAY, A.B.
English
ADA BLANCHE LAUCK, A.M.
English

FLORENCE LEE, A.B.
Cafeteria
 FLORENCE J. LIEBBE, A.M.
Social Science
 P. J. MARTIN, A.B.
Social Science

RUTH B. MAUCKER, A.B.
Study Hall
 SARA MAE McELHINNEY
Art
 EMILIE C. MERTZ, A.B.
German

MARTHA MILLER, A.B.
Shorthand, Typing
 RUTH PARIDON, A.B.
English
 HAZEL PARRISH, A.M.
Mathematics

EARL PEOPLES, B.S.
Woodwork
 DOROTHY PETERSON, A.B.
Public Speaking
 JULIEN PETERSON, A.B.
Mathematics, Social Science

GEORGE C. RAUSCH
Machine Shop
 EVA ROBB, A.B.
Mathematics
 WILLIAM G. ROZEBOOM, A.B.
Vocal Music

CAROLU L. SCHUTZ, A.B.
English
 JOHN H. SHANTZ, A.M.
Social Science
 CORA L. STODDARD, A.B.
Journalism, English

CHARLOTTE STONE, A.B.
Bookkeeping
 MERLE TAYLOR
Office
 LYAL E. WESTERLUND, A.B.
English





ENGLISH

The English course gives opportunity in the first semester of each year for development in grammar, sentence structure, and diction. The second semester courses give emphasis to literature. A maintenance program of essentials is used also. Frequent short tests are given to master a few fundamentals. The work of the two semesters balance and form a background for the following courses.

SOCIAL SCIENCE

The social science department aims to give the student a knowledge of social conditions and good citizenship. European history is offered to all students. Only juniors and seniors are eligible for American history which is required for graduation.

They may also choose commercial geography, civics, sociology, or advanced sociology which deal with political, business, industrial, and social problems.

COMMERCIAL

If a student correlates his subjects carefully, he will be prepared at graduation for both college and business.

Two years of shorthand and two of type-writing are offered to juniors and seniors. One semester of business arithmetic, and three of bookkeeping may be begun in the sophomore year.

SCIENCE

Chemistry, physics, biology, and domestic science compose this department. Elementary inorganic chemistry and elementary physics are open to juniors and seniors. Biology or botany and zoology is offered to any student. Two years of cooking and two of sewing are taught. These subjects are made attractive and practical by laboratory work in well-equipped laboratories.

STUDY

A library of approximately eight thousand books is maintained where students may borrow books and where they may study. Supervised study is carried on in three study halls.

MATHEMATICS

The mathematics department offers plane geometry in the sophomore year, advanced algebra and solid geometry in the junior year, and trigonometry and college algebra in the senior year. Algebra centers about the study of the equation, formula and graph; geometry, the properties and relations of geometrical figures and solids; and trigonometry, indirect measurement by the solution of triangles.

LANGUAGES

Latin, French, German, and Spanish are offered to the students. The languages form a cultural background and may be used directly. The courses in these languages teach the customs of the people also. Four years of Latin and three of both French and German are given. Only second-year Spanish is taught.

FINE ARTS

This group adds much to the beauty of school life in providing music, dramatic productions, and art work for the enjoyment of the students and community. Art, band, glee club, and speech are taught.

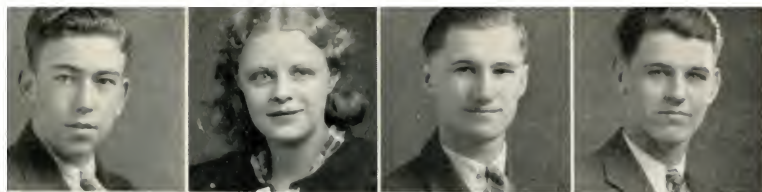
OFFICE

In the principal's office, attendance is checked, program cards are kept, information is given out and occasionally stenographic students are given office practice. In the cafeteria, as another service to the students, hot lunches are served at cost every noon.

MANUAL ARTS

Printing, machine shop, mechanical drawing, and woodwork comprise this group. Practical knowledge is gained in these vocational subjects. The printing of the entire school system is done in the printing classes.





Russell Adams
Lillian Ague
Bernard Aims
Ralph Anderson



Frederick Armstrong
Edith Arshack
Ivy Atkinson
Ethel Barenthin



Leonard Barenthin
Charles Barnes
Marian Baumbach
Eugene Beattie



Eleanor Bendt
Bobby Benham
Wendell Benson
Ralph Bergstrom



Robert Betts
James Blaker
Carl Blecker
Harry Blecker

Lorin Bleuer
Lucille Boot
Albert Borell
Marcella Borell



Ida Mae Boronstein
Betty Boxerman
Joe Brahm
Robert Bremner

Arthur Bricker
Grant Brissman
Pauline Bromberg
George Brown



Jack Brown
Ernest Brunswig
Earle Busse
Albert Cabooter

John Canum
Mark Canum
Martha Carlson
Betty Carney



Dorothy Carr
Noma Carroll
Virginia Carstens
William Caulpetzer

Ruth Cervin
Mildred Cheek
Robert Christensen
Audrey Claydon

Doris Clayton
Virginia Cline
Boyd Cloudas
Wilma Connelly

Maynard Cook
Mary Catherine Cook
Winifred Coon
Lucille Couch

Adelee Crabill
Jack Crampton
Lela Crane
Gerald Crapnell



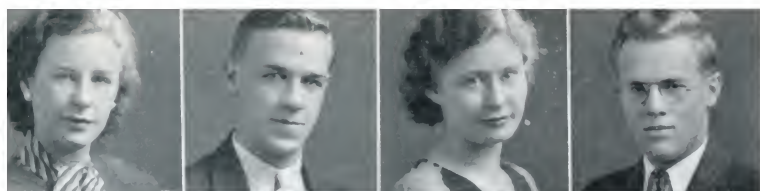
Glenn Crawford
Gene Danenfelser
Virginia DeBord
Harold Dehler

Francis DeReus
Dick Derrick
Alberta Desch
Sidney Deutsch

LeRoy Dierikx
George Donlin
Peggy DuMars
Dorothy Duty

Beatrice Eckhardt
Robert Eckhart
Morris Ed
George Ekstein

Melba Ekstrom
Margaret Erb
Birdie Erbstein
Herbert Erickson



Rosemary Erickson
Albert Ewert
Katherine Fasbender
Jack Fensterbusch



Harold Fink
Florence Finkelberg
Mary Finley
Warren Fisher



Charlotte Fout
Helen Fowler
Robert Franck
Eileen Frederick



Pauline Fredrickson
Harold Freece
Ralph Frisk
Raymond Fuller



Edgar Fullmer
Melbourne Garland
Morris Geifman
Sam Geifman

Rosalyn Gendler
Louis Gernant
Reola Gibbs
Vivian Giblin



Clarence Gilmore
Kermit Gilmore
Charlotte Glockhoff
Raymond Gloe



Harold Goldman
Robert Gordon
Evelyn Gorenstein
Regina Gotthardt



Evelyn Gulder
Marian Hahn
Arline Haigh
Hazel Hamilton



Louis Handley
Allen Hanna
Charles Hanson
Ethel Harris



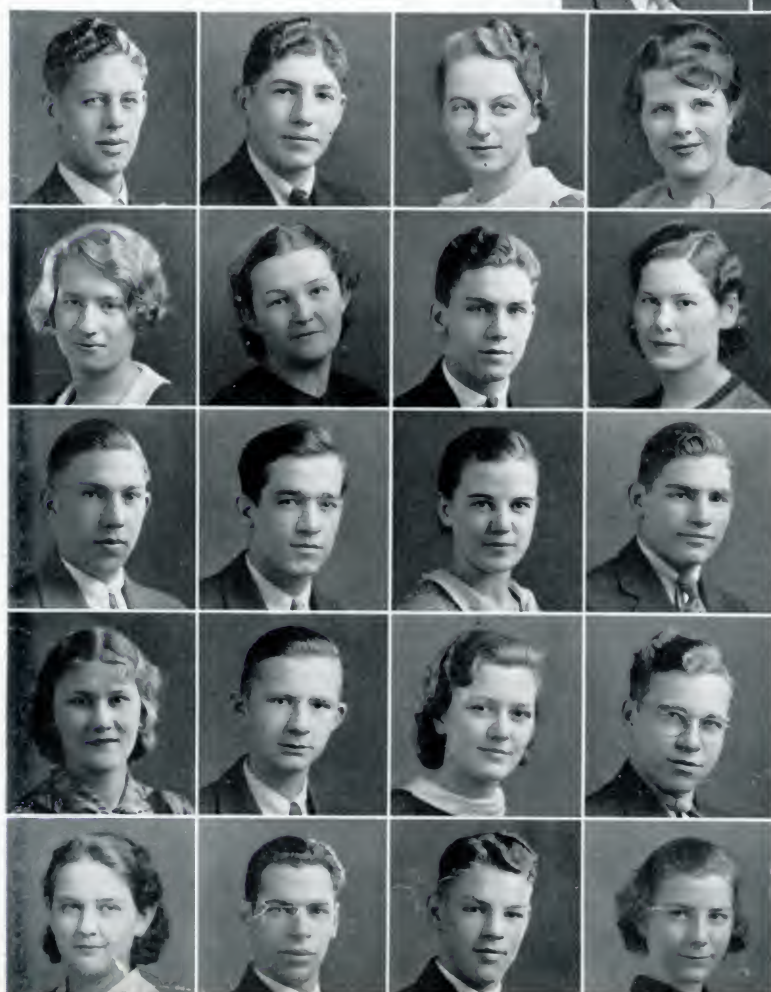
Ruth Evelyn Harris
Eugene Hatfield
Jean Hauerwas
Glenn Hawley

Ruby Hayes
Philip Heberle
Nina Hendrick
Sara Herman

Marion Hessel
Fern Higgins
Ruth Hill
LeRoy Hinrichs

Virginia Hodson
Richard Hoeltzner
Robert Holcomb
William Holtzer

Eugene Holzer
Robert Hubbard
Vard Hunker
Virgil Hunker



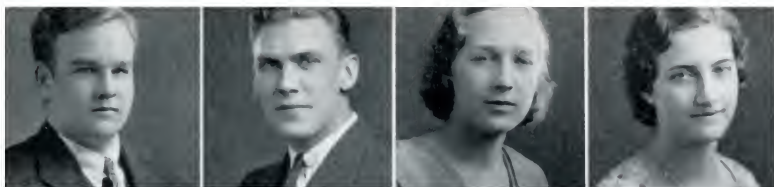
George Ingold
Isadore Isenstein
Eileen Ittner
Vivian Jensen

Flora Johansen
Inez Johnson
Kenneth Johnson
La Verne Johnston
(not graduating)

Carl Karlburg
Donald Karr
Ruth Karr
Alex Kenter

Edith Kindelsperger
Robert Kling
Elsie Klinkerman
Ted Knox

Elizabeth Koehler
Albert Konick
Robert Koop
Elinor Kramer



Harold Kruse
Harry Kruse
Vivian Kuehl
Katherine Kurth



Frances Kuschmann
Alice Laisner
Helen Lance
Lester Langhinrichs



John Lannoo
Jane Laube
Chester Laux
Margaret Lebermann



Donald Lee
Sadye Leibowitz
Harry Leman
Adele Lerman



Riley Lindeman
Vera Lindorfer
Bill Lindstrom
Virginia Long

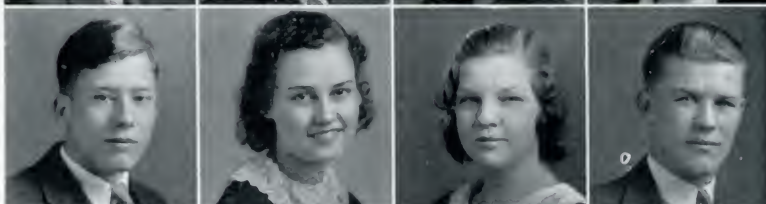
Phyllis McCabe
Roland McCallum
Marion McCauley
Alice McClain



John Maier
Phil Mallen
Ruth Mangelsdorf
Alice Martin



Earl Martin
Dolores Maxwell
Isabell Maynard
Joe Means



Edward Melow
Arnold Meyer
John Mikesell
Allan Miller



Betty Miner
Hilton Moeller
Hollis Mordhorst
Jeanne Morris



Richard Moser
Josephine Moskaloff
Tony Mustacchio
Mary Jane Nielsen

Carl Noack
Minerva Norton
Ruth O'Brien
Hollis Odean

Rosemary Olson
Walter O'Malley
Mary Parrish
Irvin Pearlstein
(not graduating)

Jane Pearson
Phyllis Perry
Herbert Peterson
Robert Peterson

Maxine Petit
Ruth Pettibone
Jane Pfaff
Wilbur Phillips



Mary Pierce
Lester Popp
Cleone Potter
Arden Poulter

Billy Powers
Emmett Pratt
Raymond Racette
Jay Ramser
(not graduating)

Dorothy Randall
Mary Reed
Kenneth Reeser
Katherine Remington

Mary Replogle
Dorothy Rettig
Judith Reyniers
Francis Riceman
(not graduating)

Duane Rife
Berneice Robinson
William Robinson
Jack Robson



Karl Rochow
Gladys Roehr
Helen Rothenberg
William Rudolf

Tony Salerno
Sam Satin
Byrma Schafer
Royce Schafer

Evelyn Scherer
Florence Scherer
Jeanne Scherrer
Marlyn Schmidt

Leo Schmitz
Carol Schneider
Joseph Schorpp
Arthur Schuermer

Erna Schuermer
Waldo Seidel
Wayne Seidel
Melvin Seline

Irene Seymour
Ruth Shapiro
James Shea

Gladys Shields
Axel Skeppstedt
Ann Sklar

Allan Smith
Betty Smith
Norman Smith

Lillian Spickler
Lois Spickler
Marjorie Spickler

Eleanor Spiegel
Kenneth Staubach
Dick Steenburgh



Eugene Stein
Elmer Steinke
William Stephens
Grace Stevens

Albert Stoner
Dorothy Stran
Signa Streeper
Robert Strieter

Wilson Sturtz
Gerald Sutton
Eugene Talik
Harry Taylor

Harry Thayer
Daniel Thomas
Luella Thompson
Yrsa Thomsen

Dorothy Tiedemann
Carl Trommer
Opal Van Antwerp
Frank Vietti



Frances Vogele
Ardo Volk
Evelyn Vroman

Warren Watkins
Muriel Weinberg
Rose Weinstein

Miriam Wessel
Jeanne Wheeler
Cora White
(not graduating)

Glenn White
Earl Willetts
Anna Wiss

Rosemarie Witt
Edna Wood
Mary Woodin
Jerome Zeffren

WHO'S WHO AMONG SENIORS

LILLIAN AGUE

French Club, 1.

RALPH ANDERSON

Football 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis".

FREDERICK ARMSTRONG

Science Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

EDITH ARSHACK

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; (secretary 2, cabinet 3); Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff (editor-in-chief) 3; Senate 3; Senior Honor Roll; Senior Ring Committee; Class Day Program.

IVY ATKINSON

Alpha Club 1, 2 (vice president 1); Band 1, 2, 3.

LEONARD BARENTIN

Football 2, 3; Track 3.

MARIAN BAUMBACH

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1; Home Economics Club 2.

EUGENE BEATTIE

English Magazine Committee 1; Junior Class president; Senior Class president; Dramatic Club Play "Honor Bright" 2; Junior Class Play "Sun Up" 2; Speech Class Play "No Sabe" 2; Boys' Oratory Team 2, 3 (winner of Big Nine 3); Class Day Program; Debate 2, 3 (Captain 3); Extemp Team 1, 2, 3 (winner Big Nine 2, 3); winner popularity contest 2; Senate 2, 3 (president 2, 3); Latin Club 2 (president 2); Dramatic Club 2, 3 (president 3); Hi-Y 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Senior Ring Committee; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll.

ELEANOR BENDT

German Club 3; Hi-Y 3.

ROBERT BETTS

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (secretary 3); German Club 1, 2.

CARL BLECKER

Junior Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

LORIN BLEUER

Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 2; Science Club 2; German Club 2; Senate 3; Hi-Y 2, 3 (president 3); Blackhawk Tribe 3; vice president of Senior Class; Senior Honor Roll.

ALBERT BORELL

Black Hawk Tribe 2, 3; Football 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2.

MARCELLA BORELL

Science Club 3.

IDA MAE BORONSTEIN

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 3; Science Club 3.

BETTY BOXERMAN

Hi-Y 2, 3; Latin Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Big Nine Stenographic Team 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

JOE BRAHM

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Senate 3.

GRANT BRISSMAN

Senior Glee Club 2, 3; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Orpheus Club 3.

PAULINE BROMBERG

Alpha Club 2; French Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3.

GEORGE BROWN

Track 3.

JACK BROWN

German Club 2 (president); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Black Hawk Tribe 3; Junior Class Play, "Sun Up" 2; National Scholastic Athletic Society; Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3 (captain 3); Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3.

ERNEST BRUNSWIG

Senate 3; Dramatic Club 3; Football 2, 3.

EARLE BUSSE

Hi-Y 1, 2; Track 1, 2; German Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

ALBERT CABOOTER

Senior Honor Roll.

JOHN CANUM

Band 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Senior Ring Committee; Operetta Orchestra 2; Dramatic Club play, "Honor Bright" 2; Junior Class Play, "Sun Up" 2; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

MARTHA CARLSON

Senate 3 (vice president); secretary of Senior Class; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3 (associate editor); Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Science Club 1, 2; Commercial Club 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3 (secretary 3); Girls' Declamation Team 3; Speech Class Play, "Fur and Warmer" 3; Senior Ring Committee; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll.

BETTY CARNEY

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Speech Class Play, "Pink and Patches" 2; Junior Class Play, "Sun-Up" 2; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Senior Ring Committee; Girls' Declamation Team 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

NOMA CARROLL

Hi-Y 1, 2; Alpha Club 1; Science Club 2.

VIRGINIA CARSTENS

Science Club 2, 3 (treasurer 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 2; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Speech Class Play, "Cherry Special" 2; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Senior Honor Roll.

WILLIAM CAULPETZER

Alpha Club 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3.

RUTH CERVIN

Latin Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Treble Clef 2; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Senior Honor Roll.

AUDREY CLAYDON

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Home Economics Club 2; Science Club 2.

DORIS CLAYTON

German Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Operetta Orchestra 2, 3; Senior Honor Roll; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Class Day Program.

WILMA CONNELLY

French Club 1, 2; Science Club 3.

MARY CATHERINE COOKE

Senior Honor Roll.

WINIFRED COON

Home Economics Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Treble Clef 2, 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2.

LUCILLE COUCH

Band 1, 2, 3; Alpha Club 1.

ADELEE CRABILL

Dramatic Club 2, 3; Treble Clef 1, 2, 3 (secretary 3); Madrigal Club 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll.

LELA CRANE

Hi-Y 1; French Club 2.

GERALD CRAPNELL

Alpha Club 2; French Club 2; Science Club 2.

GLENN CRAWFORD

Dramatic Club 3.

GENE DANENFELSER

Track 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3.

VIRGINIA DEBORD

Home Economics Club 3.

FRANCIS DEREUS

Senior Glee Club 1, 2, 3 (secretary 3); Operetta, "Tulip Time" 1; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Orpheus Club 2, 3; State Chorus 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; French Club 2; Basketball 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

ALBERTA DESCH

Hi-Y 3.

SIDNEY DEUTSCH

Boys' Oratory Team 2, 3; Debate Team 2, 3; Extemp 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 2; Alpha Club 1; Science Club 2; Winner of League of Nations Award 1; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

PEGGY DUMARS

Alpha Club 1, 2 (secretary 2); Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Treble Clef 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2.

DOROTHY DUTY

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3; Glee Club 1.

BEATRICE ECKHARDT

Latin Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

ROBERT ECKHART

Dramatic Club 2; Alpha Club 1, 2; French Club 2; Track 2, 3; Speech Class Play, "The Ghost Story" 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

MORRIS ED

Hi-Y 2, 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 2, 3 (assistant business manager 2; business manager 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Senior Ring Committee; French Club 1, 2 (president 2); Speech Class Play, "The Ghost Story" 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Senior Honor Roll.

MELBA EKSTROM

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

MARGARET ERB

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Dramatic Club 3; French Club 2; Science Club 1; Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3; Senior Honor Roll.

BIRDIE ERBSTEIN

Hi-Y 2; German Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

ROSEMARY ERICKSON

Senior Honor Roll.

ALBERT EWERT

Football 2; Track 2; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Glee Club 2, 3; French Club 3.

KATHERINE FASBENDER

Dramatic Club 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Speech Class Play, "Finders Keepers" 3; Class Day Program.

JACK FENSTERBUSCH

German Club 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

HAROLD FINK

Dramatic Club 2, 3; German Club 1, 2; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Football 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

FLORENCE FINKELBERG

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Science Club 3; French Club 3; Dramatic Club 3; Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3.

MARY FINLEY

Latin Club 2; Dramatic Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

CHARLOTTE FOUT

Alpha Club 1; Home Economics Club 2, 3 (secretary 3); Commercial Club 3; Hi-Y 3.

HELEN FOWLER

Blackhawk Tribe 3.

ROBERT FRANCK

Blackhawk Tribe 3; Dramatic Club 3; French Club 2; Senior Honor Roll.

EILEEN FREDERICK

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Speech Class Play, "Cherry Special" 2.

RALPH FRISK

Football 1, 2, 3; Senate 3.

EDGAR FULLMER

Cheerleader 2, 3; Football 1; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Senate 3; Sophomore Class secretary.

MELBOURNE GARLAND

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3.

ROSALYN GENDLER

Alpha Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Winner League of Nations Contest 2; Extemp Team 2, 3; Stenographic Team 3; Declamation Team 3; Debate Team 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

LOUIS GERNANT

Football 1, 2.

REOLA GIBBS

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Home Economics Club 3; Commercial Club 3; English Magazine Committee 3; Senior Honor Roll.

CHARLOTTE GLOCKHOFF

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (secretary 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

ROBERT GORDON

Speech Class Play, "Also Ran" 2; Dramatic Club 3.

EVELYN GORENSTEIN

Commercial Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Senior Honor Roll.

REGINA GOTTHARDT

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3.

EVELYN GULDER

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 3; French Club 1; Home Economics Club 3.

MARIAN HAHN

Senior Honor Roll.

ARLINE HAIGH

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (Cabinet 2, 3) Science Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Treble Clef 2, 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Senate 3; Dramatic Club 3.

HAZEL HAMILTON

Latin Club 2, 3.

LOUIS HANDLEY

French Club 1, 2; Senior Glee Club 2, 3; Operetta, "Tulip Time" 1; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3.

ETHEL HARRIS

Alpha Club 1; Science Club 3; Hi-Y 3; Dramatic Club 3.

RUTH EVELYN HARRIS

Alpha Club 1 (secretary-treasurer and vice president); Home Economics Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; French Club 3; Science Club 3 (secretary); Girls' Declamation 2, 3; (Big Nine 3); Speech Class Play, "Miss Civilization" 2; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll.

JEAN HAUERWAS

French Club 1; Hi-Y 3.

GLENN HAWLEY

Track 2, 3.

NINA HENDRICK

Band 1, 2, 3; Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2; Science Club 1; French Club 1, 2.

SARA HERMAN

Girls' Hi-Y 1; Commercial Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Speech Class Play, "Pink and Patches" 2.

MARION HESSEL

Alpha Club 1; French Club 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Senate 3; Commercial Club 3 (vice president); Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (cabinet 3); Stenographic Team 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

FERN HIGGINS

Latin Club 2; Dramatic Club 3.

RUTH HILL

Hi-Y 3.

LE ROY HINRICHS

Senior Honor Roll.

VIRGINIA HODSON

French Club 1; Commercial Club 3 (secretary) Hi-Y 3; Senior Honor Roll.

RICHARD HOELTZNER

Science Club 3; German Club 2.

ROBERT HOLCOMB

Dramatic Club 3; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

WILLIAM HOLTZER

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2; Track 2, 3; German Club 2; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

EUGENE HOLZER

Alpha Club 1; Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Track 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2; Senate 3; Speech Class Play, "Jazz and Minuet" 2; Class Day Program.

ROBERT HUBBARD

Science Club 3; Track 3.

VARD HUNKER

Football 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; Dramatic Club Play, "Honor Bright" 2; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

VIRGIL HUNKER

Football 2, 3.

GEORGE INGOLD

Alpha Club 1; Science Club 2, 3.

EILEEN ITTNER

Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Science Club 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

VIVIAN JENSEN

Commercial Club 3.

FLORA JOHANSEN

Hi-Y 1; Senior Honor Roll.

KENNETH JOHNSON

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 3; Senate 2 (president); German Club 2; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Boys' Oratory 2; Speech Class Play, "No Sabe" 2; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

CARL KARLBURG

Band 1, 2, 3.

DONALD KARR

Football 2, 3; Track 2, 3; German Club 2; Junior Class Play, "Sun Up"; Speech Class Play, "Miss Civilization" 2; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

RUTH KARR

Home Economics Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3.

ALEX KENTER

Senior Honor Roll.

EDITH KINDELSPERGER

Home Economics Club 1, 2; Science Club 2.

ROBERT KLING

Senior Honor Roll.

ELSIE KLINKERMAN

Latin Club 2; Treble Clef 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 3; Commercial Club 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad," 2; Senior Honor Roll.

TED KNOX

Band 1, 2, 3 (manager and drum major 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Junior Class Play, "Sun-Up"; Speech Class Play, "Also Ran" 2; Science Club 2, 3; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Senior Glee Club 3; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

ELIZABETH KOEHLER

Commercial Club 2, 3; Alpha Club 1.

ROBERT KOOP

Latin Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 3; Science Club 3; Senate 3; Senior Ring Committee; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

ELINOR KRAMER

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2; Senate 2, 3; Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3 (president 2, 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Senior Ring Committee 3; Senior Honor Roll.

HARRY KRUSE

Senate 3.

KATHERINE KURTH

Treble Clef 1, 2, 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Senior Honor Roll; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Hi-Y 2; Latin Club 2; Senior Honor Roll.

FRANCES KUSCHMANN

Dramatic Club 2, 3; Science Club 3; French Club 2; Senior Ring Committee.

ALICE LAISNER

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Home Economics Club 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

HELEN LANCE

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Home Economics Club 1, 3; Science Club 1, 2; Alpha Club 1; Dramatic Club 3; Senate 3; French Club 2; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Commercial Club 3.

LESTER LANGHINRICHS

Football 1; Track 1, 2.

JANE LAUBE

Commercial Club 3; Alpha Club 1.

CHESTER LAUX

Hi-Y 1; Senate 3.

MARGARET LEBERMANN

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 2, 3; Commercial Club 3.

HARRY LEMAN

Latin Club 2, 3.

ADELE LERMAN

Treble Clef 1, 2; accompanist Boys' Glee Club 3; pianist Senior Activities 2; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

RILEY LINDEMAN

Entered from Fenger High School, Chicago, 3; Track 3.

VERA LINDOERFER

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3 (cabinet 3); Treble Clef 3.

WILLIAM LINDSTROM

Senior Glee Club 1, 2, 3 (president 3); Operettas, "Tulip Time" 1; "Belle of Bagdad" 2; "Up in the Air" 3; Orpheus Club 2, 3; Class Day Program.

VIRGINA LONG

French Club 1; Hi-Y 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3.

PHYLLIS Mc CABE

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 3; Commercial Club 3.

MARIAN McCAULEY

Alpha Club 2; Blackhawk Tribe 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

ALICE McCLAIN

Hi-Y 1; Science Club 3; Dramatic Club 3.

PHIL MALLIN

Latin Club 2, 3 (president 3); Dramatic Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 3; Junior Class Play, "Sun-Up" 2.

RUTH MANGELSDORF

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (vice president 2, president 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club Play, "Honor Bright" 2; Speech Class Play, "Pink and Patches" 2; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Science Club 2; Senate 3; German Club 2; (secretary-treasurer); Latin Club 2 (secretary); Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll.

ALICE MARTIN

Science Club 2; Commercial Club 3; German Club 3; Home Economics Club 3 (cabinet); Senate 3; Senior Honor Roll.

EARL MARTIN

Senior Honor Roll.

DOLORES MAXWELL

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3 (president 3); Senate 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3 (cabinet); Dramatic Club 3; Senior Ring Committee; Winner Popularity Contest 2; vice president—Junior Class; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

JOE MEANS

Football 1, 2, 3 (captain 3); Senate 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3.

ARNOLD MEYER

Alpha Club 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Science Club 3; Extemp 2.

ALLAN MILLER

Football 2, 3; Track 3; Athletic Scholarship 3.

BETTY MINER

Science Club 2.

HILTON MOELLER

Hi-Y 2; German Club 2; Dramatic Club 3; Science Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 3; Track 3; Senior Honor Roll.

JEANNE MORRIS

Alpha Club 1; French Club 1, 2; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Speech Class Play, "Also Ran" 2; Senior Honor Roll.

JOSEPHINE MOSKALOFF

Glee Club 2; Alpha Club 1.

TONY MUSTACCHIO

Football 1, 2; Track 1, 2.

MARY JANE NIELSEN

Science Club 3.

CARL NOACK

Alpha Club 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; French Club 2; Speech Class Play, "Fur and Warmer" 3; Senior Ring Committee; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis."

MINERVA NORTON

Treble Clef 2, 3; French Club 2; Hi-Y 2; Operetta "Up in the Air" 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2.

ROSEMARY OLSON

Senior Honor Roll.

JANE PEARSON

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Science Club 2; Senior Ring Committee.

PHYLLIS PERRY

Home Economics Club 3 (cabinet).

HERBERT PETERSON

German Club 2; Hi-Y 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Secretary of Junior Class; Cheer Leader 3; Senate 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; (circulation manager); Senior Honor Roll.

ROBERT PETERSON

Speech Class Play, "Also Ran" 2; Dramatic Club 2, 3 (vice president 3); Blackhawk Tribe 3; Senior Ring Committee; Football 2, 3; Golf Team 2, 3.

MAXINE PETIT

Science Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3.

RUTH PETTIBONE

Science Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3; Senate 3.

JANE PFAFF

Hi-Y 1, 2; Dramatic Club 2, French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

WILBUR PHILLIPS

German Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 2; Science Club 2; Senior Glee Club 2, 3; Stage Manager of Operettas 2, 3; Orpheus 3.

MARY PIERCE

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (cabinet 2, 3); Science Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; (treasurer 3); Speech Class Play, "Also Ran" 2; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

LESTER POPP

Band 1, 2, 3.

CLEONE POTTER

Band 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Alpha Club 1, 2; French Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3; Commercial Club 3.

ARDEN POULTER

Entered from Greenville High School, Greenville, Illinois.

EMMETT PRATT

German Club 2, 3; Junior Glee Club 1, 2; Senior Honor Roll.

RAYMOND RACETTE

French club 3. (Entered from Lew Wallace High School, Gary, Indiana).

DOROTHY RANDALL

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 1; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

MARY REED

Hi-Y 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3.

KATHERINE REMINGTON

Alpha Club 1; French Club 2, 3; Junior Glee Club 2; Treble Clef 3; Hi-Y 1.

MARY REPLOGLE

Junior Play, "Sun-Up" 2; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; French Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 3; Senate 3.

DOROTHY RETTIG

German Club 2.

JUDITH REYNIERS

Home Economics Club 1.

DUANE RIFE

Track 2, 3.

BERNEICE ROBINSON

Alpha Club 1; Latin Club 2; Band 3; Hi-Y 3; Home Economics Club 3.

WILLIAM ROBINSON

Band 1, 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Junior Glee Club 2; Senior Glee Club 3; Senate 3; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3.

JACK ROBSON

German Club 2; Junior Glee Club 1, 2.

KARL ROCHOW

Dramatic Club Play, "Honor Bright" 2; German Club 2 (treasurer); Dramatic Club 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3 (captain 3); Senate 3.

GLADYS ROEHR

Commercial Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Science Club 3.

HELEN ROTHENBERG

Latin Club 2, 3; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Commercial Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Alpha Club 1; English Magazine Committee 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program; Senior Ring Committee.

WILLIAM RUDOLF

Hi-Y 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 3; Senate 3; Science Club 2, 3 (president 3); Tennis Team 2; French Club 2; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program. (Entered from Grant High, Cedar Rapids, Iowa).

SAM SATIN

Football 1, 2, 3.

ROYCE SCHAFFER

Operettas, "Tulip Time" 1; "Belle of Bagdad" 2; "Up in the Air" 3 (business manager); Glee Club Concert 2, 3 (business manager 3); Senior Glee Club 1, 2, 3 (treasurer, 2, 3); Orpheus Club 2, 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

EVELYN SCHERER

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Junior Glee Club 1, 2.

FLORENCE SCHERER

Science Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Senior Glee Club 2, 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Madrigal Club 3.

JEANNE SCHERRER

Commercial Club 3.

MARLYN SCHMIDT

Football 1; Track.

LEO SCHMITZ

Watch Tower Staff 3; Science Club 2; (cabinet).

CAROL SCHNEIDER

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3 (president 3); Home Economics 3; Senate 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

ARTHUR SCHUERMER

Dramatic Club 2, 3; German Club 3; Senate 3; Oratory Team 3; Speech Class Play "Miss Civilization" 2; Senior Honor Roll.

ERNA SCHUERMER

Latin Club 2; German Club 3 (president); Commercial Club 3; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

MELVIN SELINE

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3.

RUTH SHAPIRO

Alpha Club 1; Hi-Y 2, 3; Science Club 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Alternate Declamation Team 1; Speech Class Play, "Cherry Special" 2.

GLADYS SHIELDS

Home Economics Club 3; Science Club 3; Junior Glee Club 2.

AXEL SKEPPSTEDT

Speech Class Play, "The Ghost Story" 3; Dramatic Club 3; Alpha Club 1.

ANN SKLAR

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

ALLAN SMITH

Band 1, 2, 3.

BETTY SMITH

Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; French Club 2, 3; Treble Clef 1, 2, 3.

NORMAN SMITH

Watch Tower Annual Staff 3.

LILLIAN SPICKLER

Science Club 2; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

LOIS SPICKLER

Science Club 2; Commercial Club 3.

MARJORIE SPICKLER

Science Club 2; German Club 3; Home Economics Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

DICK STEENBURGH

Watch Tower Annual Staff 1, 2, 3 (cartoonist); Alpha Club 1.

EUGENE STEIN

Senior Honor Roll.

ELMER STEINKE

Watch Tower Argus Staff 3; German Club 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3 (art editor); Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

WILLIAM STEPHENS

Science Club 3; Football 3; Track 2, 3.

GRACE STEVENS

Senate 3; Hi-Y 2, 3.

DOROTHY STRAN

Alpha Club 1; Speech Class Play, "Cherry Special" 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2.

SIGNA STREEPER

Senior Honor Roll.

ROBERT STRIETER

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (treasurer 3); Dramatic Club 2, 3; German Club 2; Football 1, 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2.

WILSON STURTZ

Senior Honor Roll.

HARRY TAYLOR

Alpha Club 1; Latin Club 2; Junior Glee Club 3 (treasurer).

HARRY THAYER

Hi-Y 3; Dramatic Club 3; Science Club 3; Band 1, 2, 3.

DANIEL THOMAS

Senior Ring Committee.

LUELLA THOMPSON

Hi-Y 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Latin Club 3; Dramatic Club 3.

YRSA THOMSEN

Commercial Club 3; Senior Honor Roll.

CARL TROMMER

Speech Class Play, "Miss Civilization" 2; Junior Class Play, "Sun-Up" 2; Dramatic Club Play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Band 1, 2; German Club 3 (vice president); Football 1, 2, 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

OPAL VAN ANTWERP

Hi-Y 1, 3; Senior Glee Club 2, 3; French Club 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Watch Tower Argus Staff 3; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Senior Honor Roll.

FRANCES VOGELE

French Club 2; Science Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Hi-Y 2.

ARDO VOLK

Band 1, 2, 3.

EVELYN VROMAN

Science Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 3; Alpha Club 1.

MURIEL WEINBERG

Hi-Y 3; Science Club 3; Home Economics Club 3.

ROSE WEINSTEIN

Senior Honor Roll; German Club 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 3.

MIRIAM WESSEL

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3 (treasurer 3); Madrigal Club 2, 3; Operetta, "Belle of Bagdad" 2; Operetta, "Up in the Air" 3; Speech Class Play, "The Clod" 3; Senior Class Play, "The Crisis"; Senior Honor Roll.

JEANNE WHEELER

Alpha Club 1, 2; French Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2.

GLENN WHITE

German Club 3; Senior Glee Club 1, 2, 3 (librarian 3); Orpheus Club 2, 3; State Chorus 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Blackhawk Tribe 2, 3 (vice president 3); Science Club 2; Operettas, "Tulip Time" 1; "Belle of Bagdad" 2; "Up in the Air" 3; Class Day Program.

ANNA WISS

Home Economics Club; German Club 3; Hi-Y Club.

ROSEMARIE WITT

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Alpha 1; Senior Glee Club 3; Latin Club 2; Senior Ring Committee; Senior Honor Roll.

EDNA WOOD

Alpha Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

MARY WOODIN

Alpha Club 1; German Club 2; Dramatic Club 3; Senate 2, 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 (cabinet 2, 3); Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.

JEROME ZEFFREN

Alpha Club 1 (president); Science Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Oratory Team 3; Debate Team 3; Extemp. 2, 3; Senior Ring Committee; Watch Tower Argus Staff 2; Watch Tower Annual Staff 3; Senior Honor Roll; Class Day Program.



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THE BI-WEEKLY

The student paper, the *Watch Tower Bi-Weekly*, made its bow to the public of Rock Island High School on February 28, 1934. This was the first student paper published since 1926 and was the result of a long-felt desire of the students for more news about themselves written in the manner they like it. The paper was sold for two cents and was issued once every two weeks. The news was collected and written by members of the advanced journalism class, and the paper was printed in the print shop.



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SENATE

OFFICERS

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ALICE LINDSTROM <i>Secretary</i>

A good record has been made by the Senate during the second year of its existence. It has had a busy but very successful program. An item of importance is that the Senate is now a member of the National Organization of Student Councils. The Lyceum course, which enabled the school to receive three interesting assembly programs at a low cost, was made possible through the Senate. This club helped to make the Christmas project and the frolic successful. Monitors were stationed in the halls to assist visitors and new students, and to keep order in the halls during periods. Letters of condolence were sent to bereaved students and faculty members during the year. A Lettermen's Day was held during the football season for all individuals who had attended Rock Island High School and earned a letter.

The Senate met bi-weekly under the sponsorship of the principal and faculty members. This year the Senate represented the entire school. The membership consisted of a representative from each club, each athletic team, a cheer leader, and a member from each of the special departments, such as the glee clubs, band, and Annual staff. Under the new plan, every first period class also chose a representative.

The Senator in accepting this position takes upon himself a great deal of responsibility. He must place the interests of Rock Island High School first, support all scholastic and contest activities, obey all regulations of the school, assume all duties assigned to him by the officers and the sponsors of the Senate, and execute them faithfully.

Faculty sponsors were as follows:

The Misses Georgia First, Alverda Doxey, Eva Robb, Hazel Parrish and the Messrs. J. R. Clark, P. J. Martin, J. M. Huckins, David Borth, and Earl Hanson.

The membership follows:

Starred members are those who have been Senators both semesters.

Esther Anderson	Ralph De Vine	Wesley Johnson	Joe Means	Grace Stevens
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Sandberg, Harris, P. Nye,
White, Maxwell, Bolin,
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Fowler, Schneider, Corporan,
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Koehler.
Ittner, Carstens, Noack, Gippert,
Franck, Fullmer,
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Phillips, Harris, Anderson,
Schoede, Ewing, Murphy,
Mangelsdorf.
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Rudolf, Bleuer, Mr. Shantz.



BLACK HAWK TRIBE

DOLORES MAXWELL*Chief*
GLENN WHITE*Sachem*
PHYLLIS NYE.....*Keeper of Birch Bark and Wampum*

The new members of the Tribe were initiated in true pow-wow style at the Christmas party given at the Tavern Tearoom. Remember how the infants slushed about in their hunks of cream pie? The Tribe sponsored the Popularity contest at the Frolic, and in addition, presented that thrilling drammar, "The Gangster's Sweetheart." The Misses Eva Irvine and Florence Liebbe, and Messrs. John Shantz, and P. J. Martin are working to promote a better Rock Island High School and to bring benefits to the individual members.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

OFFICERS

ELINOR KRAMER*President*
GENITEE ESKEW*Vice President*
CHARLOTTE FOUT*Secretary*
JEAN TOTTON*Treasurer*

With an enterprising program planned, the Home Economics Club members had a successful year. What a grand time they had at the wiener roast and dance which were both held at Credit Island! The installation of new members and then the waffle supper which followed proved to the new members that this was truly a domestic club. A more successful banquet has not been given than the one which the Home Economics Club gave in honor of the football team (the quad-city champs!). The boys received their letters and went away with a feeling of satisfaction that their hostesses had planned and prepared a most appetizing dinner. A Mother and Daughter Tea was held in the spring and the Club closed its year with a party and a spring picnic. Miss Irene Haan is the sponsor.



HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Fout, Kramer, Miss Haan,
Totton, Eskew, Maxwell,
Pettibone.
Gibbs, Conover, Enright,
Workins, Atkinson, Reed.
Weinberg, Petit, Long, Wiss,
Martin, Schneider.
Schwart, Grams, Bell, Moskaloff, Ayers, Harris.
Spickler, Beer, Harris, Vroman, Finkelberg, Pepping,
Coon, White.



DRAMATIC CLUB

OFFICERS

EUGENE BEATTIE*President*
 ROBERT PETERSON.....*Vice President*
 MARTHA CARLSON*Secretary*
 MARY PIERCE*Treasurer*

SPONSORS: The Misses Dorothy Peterson and Lyal
 Westerlund.

This is the club that contains the acting ability of the school! The play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," the big project of the year, proved a grand success. The chills are still running up and down the spinal columns of those who attended the performance. New stage lighting, costing seventy-five dollars, was provided by the club from the play's profit. The club also contributed toward the Lyceum course. A glorious time was had at all the monthly meetings when members of the club or outside talent gave different types of entertainment. It's here at last—the Dramatic Club Christmas party. And what a party! The fancy trimmings to the card party were candy, Dixie cups, and prizes. The members had a fascinating evening at the theater party given in the spring, which closed the club's year.

Entrance into this club is made possible by tryouts, which are judged by officers and sponsors.

Membership:

Dorothy Albrecht
 Frederick Armstrong
 Edith Arshack
 Eugene Beattie
 William Bell
 Jack Brown
 Ernie Brunsig
 Merle Bunch
 John Camum
 Martha Carlson
 Betty Carney
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 Billy Caulpetzer
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 Fay Downing

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 Florence Finkelberg
 Mary Finley
 Robert Franck
 Rosalyn Gendler
 Reola Gibbs
 LeRoy Gippert
 Charlotte Glockhoff
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 Evelyn Goronstein
 Louise Grommet
 Arline Haigh
 Ethel Harris
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 Kathleen Liitt
 Alice Lindstrom
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 Ruth Mangelsdorf
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 Ray Martin
 Dolores Maxwell

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June Meade
 Arnold Meyer
 Clara Mücke
 Hilton Moeller
 Elizabeth Montgomery
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 Jane Pearson
 Robert Peterson
 Ruth Pettibone
 Mary Pierce
 Richard Powell
 Mary Replogle
 Neva Robertson
 Ruth Robinson
 Helen Rothenberg
 Mae Schoede

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Arthur Shuermer
 Erna Schuermer
 Axel Skeppstedt
 Grace Stone
 Dorothy Stran
 Bob Strieter
 Robert Tappendorf
 Harry Thayer
 Luella Thompson
 Carl Trommer
 William Tudor
 Rose Weinstein
 Betty Weir
 Marilyn Welch
 Miriam Wessel
 Glenn White
 Edna Wood
 Mary Woodin
 Jerome Zeffren
 Margaret Zimmer

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GIRLS' HI-Y

OFFICERS

RUTH MANGELSDORF *President*
 MARGARET ZIMMER *Vice President*
 CHARLOTTE GLOCKHOFF *Secretary*
 GRACE STONE *Treasurer*

CABINET MEMBERS: Edith Arshack, Arline Haigh, Marion Hessel, Mary Pierce, Ruth Robinson, and Mary Woodin.

SPONSORS: The Misses Alverda Doxey, Carrie Ekblad, Ethel Kreuger, Sarah Laraway, Florence Liebke, Martha Miller, Eva Robb.

The Girls' Hi-Y had an unusually active program. The Annual Five-City Spring Conference, which was held at Rock Island, proved to be the club's outstanding feature of the year. It was a regular get-together of all the Hi-Y girls from Muscatine, Davenport, Moline, Clinton, and Lyons. No—that isn't anyone calling for help—that's just part of the grand opera, "Il Advertiso," given by Girls' Hi-Y; it took first place at the Frolic. Did you see those darling dolls which were dressed by the girls, and the toys which they bought to give the Bethany Home Children at their Christmas party, held at the Y. W. C. A.? Don't say there isn't a Santa Claus! The forget-me-not sale for the disabled war veterans was also sponsored by the Girls' Hi-Y. The last features and most memorable were the senior farewell meeting and the ring ceremonial.

Membership:

Ruth Angell
 Edith Arshack
 Mary Bager
 Jeanne Baird
 Doris Bealer
 Irene Beck
 Eleanor Bendt
 Betty Benesh
 Adelaide Brown
 Arline Cahill
 Martha Carlson
 Ruth Cervin
 Mary Clapper
 Doris Clayton
 Jean Clayton
 Phyllis Coyne
 Vivian Criswell
 Marjorie Davis
 Alberta Desch
 Jeanne Diedrich
 Margaret Edwards

Melba Ekstrom
 Mary Enright
 Genette Eskew
 Mary Fraser
 Pauline Frederickson
 Charlotte Fout
 Kathleen Garrity
 Rosalyn Gendler
 Keola Gibbs
 Catherine Gilbert
 Charlene Gilbert
 Charlotte Glockhoff
 Lauretta Gram
 Arline Haigh
 Betty Ann Hall
 Ethel Mae Hamill
 Ruth Hauerwas
 Jean Hauerwas
 Pauline Hedstrom
 Marion Hessel
 Phyllis Heuer

Virginia Hodson
 Helen James
 Genevieve Kallman
 Virginia Karr
 Cherie Kendall
 Elsie Klinkerman
 Helen Lance
 Kathleen Liitt
 Vera Lindoerfer
 Virginia Lindquist
 Alice Lindstrom
 Frances Lindstrom
 Margaret Livingston
 Martie Lockwood
 Dorothy Long
 Marea Mangelsdorf
 Ruth Mangelsdorf
 June Meade
 Clara Miicke
 Elizabeth Montgomery
 Kapa Moskaloff

Mary Murphy
 Mina Nares
 Wanita Nares
 Phyllis Nye
 Carol Ohlweiler
 Ruby Palm
 Mary Parker
 Esther Pickron
 Ruth Pettibone
 Mary Pierce
 Marguerite Priester
 Virginia Ramser
 Mary Reed
 Ethel Richardson
 Berneice Robinson
 Ruth Robinson
 Gladys Roehr
 Genevieve Rollman
 Helen Rothenberg
 Helen Rozanski
 Dorothy Rucker

Florence Scherer
 Carol Schneider
 Mae Schoede
 Janice Schutter
 Dorothy Shamon
 Henrietta Sitrick
 Grace Stevens
 Grace Stone
 Margaret Tippel
 Emma Weigand
 Muriel Weinberg
 Betty Weir
 Miriam Wessel
 Marion White
 Marjorie White
 Mary Woodin
 Bernice Willhouse
 Helen Winter
 Rosemarie Witt
 Margaret Zimmer



COMMERCIAL CLUB

Carlson, Hodson, Hessell, Schneider, Gendler, Boxerman, Rothenberg, Arshack, Lerman.
Jensen, Gibbs, Lance, Erb, Klinkerman, Karr, Lillian Spickler, Lois Spickler, M. Spickler.
Higgins, Finley, Scherrer, Erbstein, Eckhardt, Ekstrom, Gotthardt, Koehler, Leibowitz, Clayton, Ittner. Cline, Maxwell, McCabe, Fasbender, Laisner, Pfaff, Scherer, Pierce, Fout, Reed.
Pettibone, Wood, Miss Miller, Miss Ekblad.

COMMERCIAL SCIENCE CLUB

OFFICERS

CAROL SCHNEIDER*President*

MARION HESSELL*Vice President*

VIRGINIA HODSON*Secretary*

SPONSORS: The Misses Carrie Ekblad, Martha Miller, Charlotte Stone, and Mr. J. M. Huckins.

The Commercial Science Club has sponsored during the year many interesting projects, social as well as educational. That certainly was an unforgettable trip which the members took through the Remington Rand Company in Davenport, and wasn't that the best Christmas party they had in December? After the club quartet had sung carols, refreshments were served. Later, the club held a Boston bean supper in the cafeteria. How many of the members added a voidupois? Miss Evelyn Thomas was the speaker and the members enjoyed her talk about her work with abnormal children.

The educational phase of the club's activities has been the series of talks given at regular meetings by prominent business women.

STENOGRAPHIC TEAM

The stenographic team members have made a record of which they can be proud. The members not only captured first place in Big Nine, but also took all individual honors. Their rating was as follows: Betty Boxerman, no errors, first; Marion Hessell, with two errors, second; and Rosalyn Gendler, also with two errors, third. Virginia Hodson was alternate on the team. Miss Carrie Ekblad coached the team to its victory.

Virginia Hodson, Marion Hessell, Rosalyn Gendler, Betty Boxerman.



ALPHA CLUB
 Grams, Coyne, Bysinger,
 Bolin, Gendler.
 Nelson, Rohr, Angell, Pep-
 ping, Sullivan, Trumell.
 Steenburgh, Erne, Eddy, D.
 Anderson, M. Anderson,
 Johnson, Edwards.
 Hughes, Studt, Miss Par-
 rish, Ague.



ALPHA CLUB

OFFICERS

First Semester

MARION MILLER*President*
 PHYLLIS COYNE*Vice President*
 ERMA BOLIN*Secretary-Treasurer*
 ROSS HUGHES*Sergeants-at-arms*
 ARTHUR STUDT
 DOMINICK FRANKVILLE

Second Semester

MARION MILLER*President*
 BILLY BYSINGER*Vice President*
 ERMA BOLIN*Secretary-Treasurer*
 ROSS HUGHES,*Sergeants-at-arms*
 ROBERT AGUE

This is the kids' club! It's strictly for freshmen and sophomores. The spooks were their guests, Santa Claus came to their Christmas party, and the good wishes of Saint Valentine were present at the grand February 14th party. In their serious moments Miss Hazel Parrish teaches parliamentary law.

BOYS' HI-Y

OFFICERS

LORIN BLEUER*President*
 HERBERT PETERSON*Vice President*
 ROBERT CLEMAN*Secretary*
 ROBERT STRIETER*Treasurer*
 EUGENE BEATTIE*Sergeant-at-arms*
 GEORGE THROCKMORTON*Chaplain*

This club was represented in the Older Boys' Conference in Springfield last fall, had a delightful treasure hunt this spring, and held two impressive induction services during the year. Sponsors are: Messrs. David Borth, Earl Peoples, E. H. Hanson, E. S. Metcalf, and Le Verne Burch.



BOYS' HI-Y

Scherer, Clemann, Strieter,
 Bleuer, Peterson, Collin,
 Clark, Nye, McMurtrie,
 Kramer, Throckmorton,
 Ehlers.
 Martin, Moeller, Koop, Gott-
 hardt, Ed.
 Standing: Rudolf, Beattie,
 Thayer.



SODALITAS LATINA
 Eckhardt, Mallen, Montgomery, Koop, Zimmer, Robinson, Gendler.
 Boxerman, Hamilton, Willhouse, White, Thompson, Field, Chambers.
 Leibowitz, Branberg, Leman, Maloney, Miicke, Rothenberg, Albrecht.
 Stevenson, Rucker, Stone, Frederickson, Miss First, Cervin, Meade, Grommet, Engle, McCaskrin.

SODALITAS LATINA

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
PHIL MALLEN	.....<i>President</i>	ROBERT KOOP
ROBERT KOOP	.....<i>Vice President</i> ..	ELIZABETH ANN MONTGOMERY
RUTH ROBINSON	.....<i>Secretary</i>	MARGARET ZIMMER
MARGARET ZIMMER	....<i>Treasurer</i>	RUTH ROBINSON

PROGRAM CHAIRMEN: Rosalyn Gendler and Beatrice Eckhardt

The Latin Club during the year has supplied additional information to the classroom's daily work. The members enjoyed the interesting discussions and plays which were presented at each bi-weekly meeting. Many worth while photographs, taken in Rome and other cities in Italy, added to the educational phase of the club's program. The members, sponsored by Miss Georgia First, had a splendid time at the spring picnic.

Only students who are taking third or fourth year Latin are eligible for membership.

SCIENCE CLUB

OFFICERS

BILL RUDOLF	.....<i>Master Scientist</i>
EVELYN SCHERER	.....<i>Junior Scientist</i>
RUTH EVELYN HARRIS	.....<i>Recording Secretary</i>
VIRGINIA CARSTENS	.....<i>Treasurer</i>

Perhaps some of the greatest scientists of tomorrow will have received their first scientific inspiration while listening to a lecture, watching a moving picture, or taking a conducted field trip with the Science Club. This year the Club visited the Sturtevant Ice Cream Company. After being shown through the building, they were treated to luscious eskimo pies. At the Frolic the Science Club presented two short sketches. The sponsors, Miss Krueger, Mr. Baird, and Mr. Dunlap, endeavor to create more interest in all fields of science.

SCIENCE CLUB

E. Scherer, Harris, Rudolf, Carstens, Miss Krueger, Parker.
 Haigh, Lindoerfer, Schersten, Anderson, Koehler, Moskaloff.
 Weinberg, Petit, Vroman, Albrecht, Harris, Finkelberg.
 F. Scherer, Pierce, Voge, Nielsen, Cline, Itner, Connelly.
 Moeller, Thayer, Holzinger, Stevens, Koop, Nystrom, Clemann.
 Winter, Meyer, Robinson, Armstrong, Crapnell.



LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

Swanson, Couch, Montgomery, Beck, Miss Caloine, Crapnell, Barnes, Pfaff, E. Scott, F. Scott, Otte, Brooks, Coon, Ittner, Downing, Backus, Remington, Baird, Cervin, Crist, Hibbert, Kendall, Steenburgh, Anderson, Clapper, Schoede, Frieze, Van Antwerp, Murphy.



LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

OFFICERS

IRENE BECK.....*President*
GLADYS BARNES*Vice President*
GERALD CRAPNELL*Secretary-Treasurer*
RUTH EVELYN HARRIS...*Asst. Secretary-Treasurer*

"Je suis enchanée de faire votre connaissance," in other words, pleased to meet you. You must have a year of French to your credit in order to become a member of this club. The French club had two important social events this year, a get-together party held at the home of Elizabeth Ann Montgomery, and a buffet-luncheon held in the Home Economics room in Manual Arts. Miss Malvina Caloine sponsors the club.

DEUTSCHER VEREIN

OFFICERS

ERNA SCHUERMER*President*
CARL TROMMER*Vice President*
ALICE MARTIN*Secretary*

After looking over the interesting meetings and programs, one can truthfully say that this club has had a worth while year. What a splendid time was had at the German Christmas party! Ruth Sittig, an honorary member, let the club have the party at her home. Singing German songs, dancing, eating, and especially exchanging the ten-cent gifts featured the occasion. The Family Album at the Frolic also turned out to be a big success. Didn't the kids look odd, and yet fascinating, dressed to appear like one big happy family? A picnic closed the year with a loud bang. The German teacher, Miss Emilie Mertz, is club sponsor.



DEUTSCHER VEREIN

Wiss, Seltzer, Weinstein, Trommer, E. Schuermer, Martin, Meincke, Bendt, Paulsen, Kaiser, Beer, Friederichson, Busch, Johnson, Spickler, Durkee, Anderson, Eschmann, Miss Mertz, A. Schuermer, Isenstein, Reeser, Busse, Pratt, Clemann, White, Ende, Willhouse, Grommett, Buker, K r a s s, Grimes, Kolls, Andich, Abramson, Bawmann, Warren, Kramer.



BOYS' SENIOR GLEE CLUB

Pianist: Adele Lerman.
At desk: Mr. Rozeboom.
Jones, Thomas, Handley,
Bricker, Thiesen, Rawson.
Downing, Johnson, Gruby,
Lindstrom, Schafer, Phillips.
Richey, Mart, Long, Ewert,
Baker, Brissman.
Adams, Tudor, White, De-
Reus, Kurth.

SENIOR BOYS' GLEE CLUB

OFFICERS

WILLIAM LINDSTROM*President*
FRANCIS DERREUS*Secretary*
ROYCE SCHAFER*Treasurer*
GLENN WHITE*Librarian*
ADELE LERMAN*Pianist*

Don't mind the harmonizing that floats up from the Glee Club room, because that harmony has aroused much interest in Rock Island. The members have sung at several church and community affairs. This year's Glee Club concert and Operetta couldn't be surpassed. Mr. William Rozeboom labors morning, noon, and night to develop the members in the rapid reading of music, in artistic singing, and in the appreciation of good music. The Madrigal Club, a group of nine girls; the Orpheus Club, a group of twelve boys; and the Male Quartet often represent the Glee Clubs at various programs.

TREBLE CLEFF

OFFICERS

ALICE LINDSTROM*President*
ADELEE CRABILL*Secretary*
MIRIAM WESSEL*Treasurer*
ETHEL MAE HAMILL.....*Librarian*
JANICE SCHUTTER*Pianist*

TREBLE CLEF

Schutter (pianist), Mr. Rozeboom, (director).
Smith, Bledsoe, La Due, Schroeder, Stevenson, Tribble.
James, Hay, Totten, F. Lindstrom, Baird, Hammond, Surr, Witt.
A. Lindstrom, Corporan, Haigh, Klinkerman, Wilcher, Hamill, Norton, Adams, Branberg, Lerman.
Case, Angell, Hoffman, Liitt, Jensen, Wessel, Scherer, Kambach, Grommett, Miller, Cutkomp.
D. Grams, Cahill, Van Antwerp, L. Grams, Moberg, Meade, Stone, Gunlock, Sullivan, Ternoey.
Halpern, Remington, Crabill, Lindoerfer, Swanson, Anderson, Kurth.





R. I. H. S. BAND

G. A. BERCHEKAS.....	<i>Director</i>	CAROL SCHNEIDER	<i>Concessions</i>
TED KNOX	<i>General Manager</i>	CLEONE POTTER	<i>Concessions</i>
GLEN RICHESON...	<i>Assistant General Manager</i>	MORRIS ED	<i>Concessions</i>
LESTER POPP.....	<i>Stage Manager</i>	MARY WOODIN	<i>Publicity</i>
CARL KARLBURG.....	<i>Assistant Stage Manager</i>	MARJORIE BAWMANN.....	<i>Publicity</i>
RICHARD HARRIS.....	<i>Assistant Stage Manager</i>	TED KNOX	<i>Assistant Director</i>
LEROY GIPPERT.....		<i>Assistant Director</i>	

"In the class, on the field—" Can't you just see the Crimson and Gold band parading about on the football field! The ever-faithful band is always present to cheer the athletic teams on to victory. At the District Band meet at Freeport, the band was awarded second rating. Its concerts provided excellent and unique entertainment.

The above view was taken when the band participated in the Music Festival at Augustana College.

Band members:

Solo clarinets	Mary Martha Murphy,	Piccolos	Trombones
Glen Richeson, Morris	Jean Totten.	Floyd Anderson, Elaine	Edward Jones, Ardo
Ed, Richard Harris,	Trumpets	Erne.	Volk, LeRoy Gippert,
Richard Gilbert, Lucille	Ivy Atkinson, Jean	French Horns	Donald Peterson, Hous-
Couch, Dale Henry,	Fields, Bill Bauer,	Richard Ash, George	ton Paulsen, Jack
Dorothy Rucker, Mar-	Wayne Palmgren.	Throckmorton, Beverly	Schneider.
jorie Bawmann.	Flugel Horns	Warren, George Scher-	Bassoons
Second Clarinets	Ralph Rawson, Vivian	er, Genevieve Nelson,	Donald Detwiler, Clara-
Edwin Burgess, Clifford	Anderson.	John Scherer, Roy	beth Dye, Leo Osbourne.
Kurth, Luella Thomp-	Eb Clarinets	Clark.	Basses
son, Virginia Karr,	Nina Hendrick, Douglas	Alto Saxophones	William Caulpetzer,
Frank Satizahn, Robert	Haley.	Jay Ramser, August	William Robinson,
Pershing, Edward John-	Alto Clarinets	Place.	Bruce Holmgren, Sey-
son, Troy Pewe.	Charlotte Ewing, Ralph	Tenor Saxophones	mour Golden, Dorothy
Third Clarinets	Anderson.	Fred McMullen. Joseph	Long, Jean Kaiser.
Jean Clayton, Kenneth	Bass Clarinets	Karaway.	Snare Drums
Raithel, Ellen, Lyon,	Carol Schneider, Domi-	Bariton Saxophones	Louis Adams, Kenneth
Phyllis Crouch, Robert	nick Frankville.	Ted Knox, Bob Young-	Russ.
Munch, James McCask-	Oboes	quist.	Bass Drum
rin, Robert Driggs,	Mary Woodin, Harry	Bass Saxophone	Eileen O'Brien, Leonard
Fred Bergeson, Robert	Thayer.	Carl Karlburg.	McCleary.
Hallgren, Donald Resch.	Flutes	Baritone	Cymbals
Cornets	Lucy Throckmorton,	Cleone Potter, Ray	Bernice Robinson, June
William Kramer, Lester	Marian Moberg, Bill	Findley, John Polzin.	Quinn.
Popp, Allan Smith,	Tanner.		Tympani
			Earle Busse.

ACTIVITIES

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SPORTS • PLAYS • FORENSICS • PART I

WATCH TOWER ANNUAL CALENDAR

1933-1934

Here it is—just a sample showing of that great picture, "Events of 1933-1934." It is now in the filming and will take nine months to be completed.

SEPTEMBER

On September 11 we view our reëntering the halls of good old Rock Island High for our new school year. Declamation tryouts start immediately. On the fifteenth the organization assembly begins the assembly program for this year. The classes elected officers: seniors, Gene Beattie; juniors, Bill Kramer; sophomores, Frances Lindstrom. Here it goes—the cheer leaders are chosen. On the twenty-third our first football game! The Commercial Club holds an interesting initiation on the twenty-sixth; the following day, the Girls' Hi-Y start their meetings with a Japanese tea (mmh! what goodies!)

OCTOBER

The declamation team is chosen. On October fifth the school is opened to friends and parents. The next day our team beats St. Joseph. Whatta game! Whatta team! Teachers' Institute is held here October 12 and 13. The eve of the twenty-seventh, we see a great crowd and a great football game. Rock Island overwhelms Monmouth 46-0; and that isn't all: Ruth Evelyn Harris captures second place in the Big Nine declamation meet at East Moline.

NOVEMBER

Just look at this: On November fourth, we beat Davenport 13-0; the following Monday we have one big pep assembly. The sophomores have their party on the tenth. The eighteenth is the Junior-Senior party. The Glee Clubs present a concert for the benefit of the School Relief Fund. To top it all off, Gene Beattie takes first place in the Big Nine Oratory meet. November twenty-ninth, Thanksgiving, no school, and our hopes and dreams come true—the victory of the Moline-Rock Island game is ours!

DECEMBER

December first at Augustana gym the band presents its concert. The Dramatic Club scores a great success with its annual play, "Seven Keys to Baldpate." A real production within our movie—the reel moves on. The clubs, one after another, hold their Christmas parties. On the twenty-seventh, the band plays for our Christmas assembly program. The Christmas baskets for needy high school families go out and the Christmas spirit is upon us all as we leave for a two-weeks' vacation.

JANUARY

New Year's Day we meet St. Joseph in a basketball game. Better luck next time! For an assembly program we hear the Augustana choir. It cer-



tainly is grand music. Speech class play reservations start on Monday, and the following Friday we get a little sample of what the plays will be. Oh—that "Ghost Story!" The next week is just a short one for it is the end of the old semester. Wednesday, the twenty-fourth, school takes up at 9:30 and report cards are given out. That evening the four speech class plays are presented.

FEBRUARY

On February second we meet Monmouth in basketball and win 27—20. That's better. On the ninth we have our Frolic. Such excitement! The same evening our team travels to Kewanee not faring so well. Oh, but the following day we do it! We beat Orion 29—23. We view a well-fought basketball game with our old rivals, Moline, but the winning goes to them. The last day of this month the first edition of the *Watch Tower Bi-Weekly* is issued. Good work! We like it lots.

MARCH

Open house—(Oh! Why couldn't I be teacher's pet? March second the debate season is opened with both teams victorious. We play Geneseo, without quite making the top, and the following day East Moline get another one of those lucky basketball breaks. On the eve of March 8, Rock Island takes Andover to enter the district basketball semi-finals and our debate team wins the meet with Davenport. The twenty-second, another excellent Junior class play, "Skidding," is given. The same day our artists, singers, and speakers are at Augustana competing and winning in contests. Our debate team is announced as the undisputed champion of Big Nine. Congratulations!

APRIL

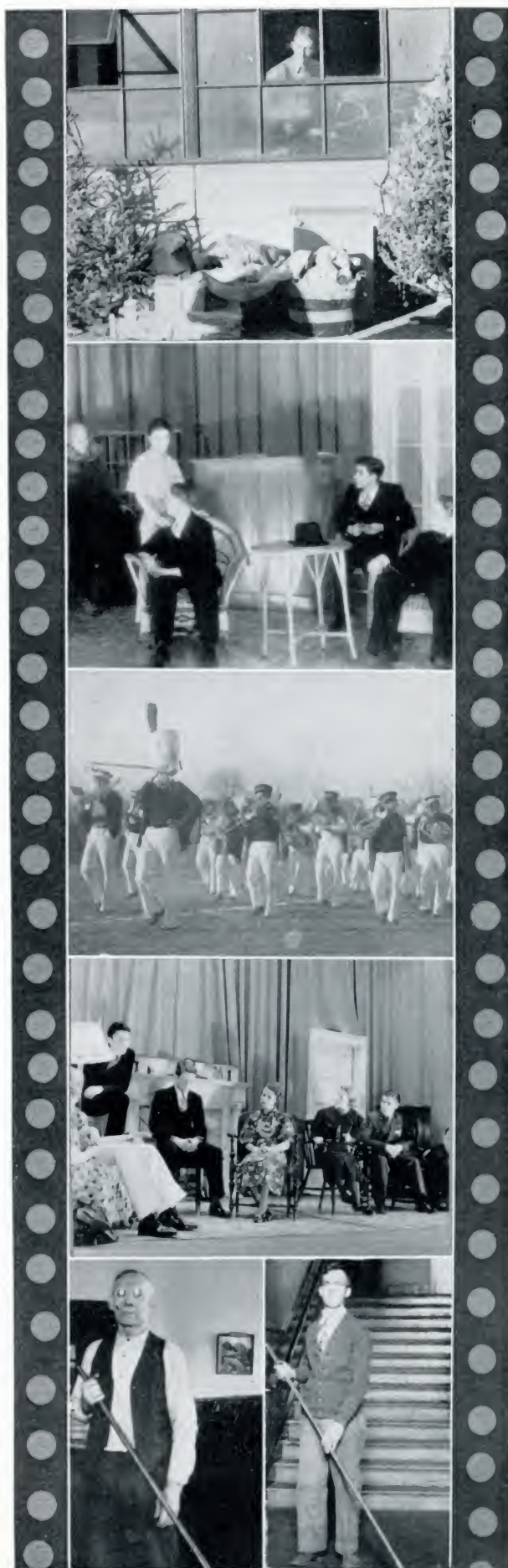
On Friday, the sixth, our band competes in the District Contest at Freeport; the following week on April 13-14 the operetta is presented and our Big Nine Stenographic meet is held. Good work, girls! On the twentieth we engage in the Big Nine Extemp Contest at Monmouth; that same evening the band presents a concert, thus bringing our second term to a close. Monday—report cards. (Now will you be good?).

MAY

The fifth brings us our Big Nine Track meet. The following week, the senior play, "The Crisis," is presented. Oh, those southern beauties! Friday, May twelfth, our boys enter the Sectional Track meet. The following Friday our Junior-Senior party, and the State Track meet is held in Urbana, Illinois. On Friday, the twenty-fifth, we have the Senior Assembly. Tuesday is the last full day of school. It marks the big Senior Day for it is Class Day. We return on Friday for our cards and the annuals. Some bid the school good-bye for three months, and others just say good-bye That evening Commencement Exercises are held at Augustana College.

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This is the end of our preview. Truly it has been an interesting picture in the making and leaves a pleasant memory of "Events of 1933-1934." Good-bye, now!





DIRECTORS OF ACTIVITIES

JULIEN PETERSON, *Assistant in Football*;
KENNETH GREENE, *Football and Basketball*;
SAM ETZEL, *Assistant in Football*;
WALTER L. KIMMEL, *Track*.

J. R. CLARK, *Athletics Manager*; GEORGIA
T. FIRST, *School Welfare*; CARRIE EKBLAD,
Stenography; DOROTHY PETERSON, *Dramatics and Forensics*.

CAROLU L. SCHUTZ, *English Magazine Business Manager*; SARAH C. LARAWAY,
English Magazine; CORA L. STODDARD,
Watch Tower Publications; SARA MAE MC-
ELHINNEY, *Watch Tower Art*.

P. J. MARTIN, *Forensics*; WILLIAM G.
ROZEBOOM, *Vocal Music*; G. A. BERCHEKAS,
Band.

BIG NINE REPRESENTATIVES



RUTH EVELYN HARRIS
Declamation



BETTY BOXERMAN
Stenography



EUGENE BEATTIE
Oratory and Extempore

Martha Carlson, Rosalyn Gendler, Ruth Evelyn Harris, Betty Carney.
Margaret Zimmer, Ruth Robinson.



DECLAMATION

Although psychologists claim it's all bosh about these babbling women, you've got to hand it to Rock Island High School's declamation team. They went through an undefeated season of contests with Moline, East Moline, and Geneseo. Ruth Evelyn Harris, champion declaimer, took second place in Big Nine. There was also a local evening contest which served as fourth tryouts. Miss Dorothy Peterson is the coach. Members of the team and their selections are:

MARTHA CARLSON.....*"Yellow Butterflies"*
 BETTY CARNEY.....*"Sun-Up"*
 ROSALYN GENDLER...*"Fear God, and Take Your Own Part"*
 RUTH EVELYN HARRIS.....*"The Finger of God"*
 RUTH ROBINSON.....*"The Story of Patsy"*
 MARGARET ZIMMER.....*"Tom o' the Gleam"*

DEBATE

Contrary to the best rules of etiquette, the Rock Island High School debate team has made a name for itself by doing some of the best arguing in this part of the country. The debaters not only won the undisputed title of Big Nine Conference Champions, but also took all the honors at the Augustana College Arts Conference. The subject this year was an especially interesting one: "The United States should Adopt the Essential Features of the British Radio System," and the students discussed everything from Ed Wynn's horse laugh to Roosevelt's policies.



Affirmative: Virginia Sandberg, Sidney Deutsch (captain), Ruth Robinson, John Phillips.
 Negative: Rosalyn Gendler, Eugene Beattie (captain), Irvin Pearlstein, Jerome Zeffren, Margaret Zimmer.



LeRoy Gippert, Billy Pearlstein, Jerome Zeffren, John Erickson.

Irvin Pearlstein, Eugene Beattie, Sidney Deutsch.

ORATORY

They had a crowded season, but members of Rock Island High School's oratory team nevertheless came through with four victories and one defeat. The contests were with Moline, East Moline, and Davenport. Eugene Beattie, that young Demosthenes, broke the all-time Big Nine record when he scored 11 points in the meet at Princeton. Miss Peterson is also the boys' coach. Members of the team and their selections are:

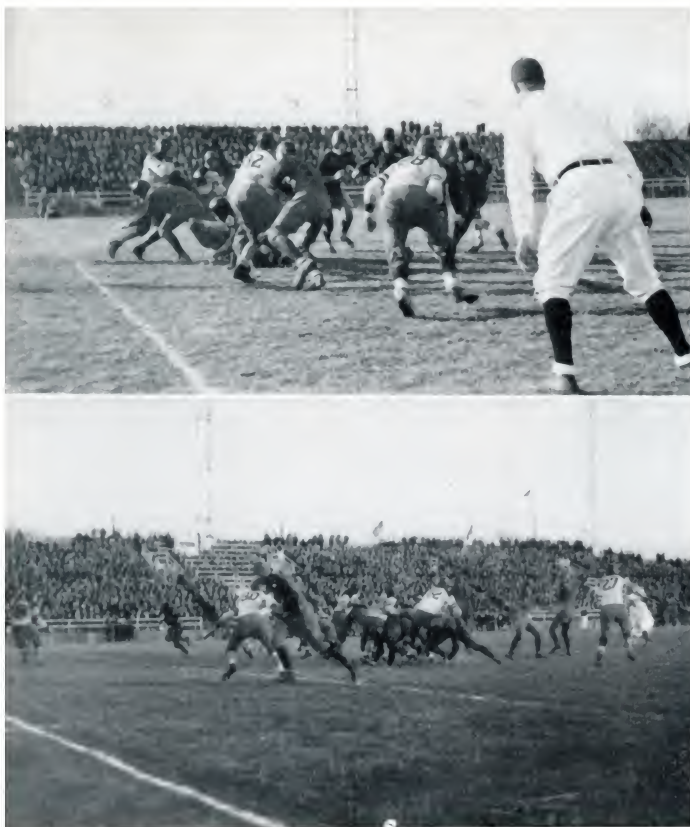
EUGENE BEATTIE.....*"Date Kernels"*
 SIDNEY DEUTSCH.....*"Curse of Plenty"*
 JOHN ERICKSON.....*"Dr. Jekyll or Mr. Hyde"*
 LE ROY GIPPERT.....*"Sinister Shadows"*
 BILLY PEARLSTEIN.....*"Making Criminals"*
 IRVIN PEARLSTEIN.....*"Whither World"*
 ARTHUR SCHUERMER.....*"Toward Saner Values"*
 JEROME ZEFFREN.....*"Plea for Action"*

EXTEMPORE

One of those unexpected questions from the teacher never stump some members of the Rock Island High School after similar experience on the extemp squad. Even Huey Kingfish Long's filibustering efforts would be put to shame before members of the 1934 extemporaneous speaking team. Galesburg was the first team to suffer defeat at the hands, or rather, tongues of Rock Island speakers. In order, these silver tongued speakers conquered Moline, East Moline, and Muscatine teams, and a climactic finish came with the winning of the Big Nine championship at Monmouth by Eugene Beattie.

LeRoy Gippert, Rosalyn Gendler, Irvin Pearlstein, Billy Pearlstein, Ruth Robinson, Daniel Nystrom. John Phillips, Eugene Beattie, Margaret Zimmer, John Erickson, Sidney Deutsch.





ATHLETICS — FOOTBALL

Hail to the Quad-City Champs! For six years the coveted honor was in foreign hands. The close of this season, however, found the Crimson in proud possession of the trophy.



Ten games resulted in six victories, three defeats, and one tie. Coach Kenneth E. Greene and his assistants, Julien Peterson and Samuel Etzel, developed a fine team, every player performing in excellent fashion. During the campaign, however, several players proved most outstanding: Captain Means, end; Karr, guard; Donnelly, tackle; McDonald, Hofer, and Seline, all backs. The team possessed no real individual stars, but rather functioned perfectly as a unit, with courage and determination to win, playing the leading part in the success of the season.

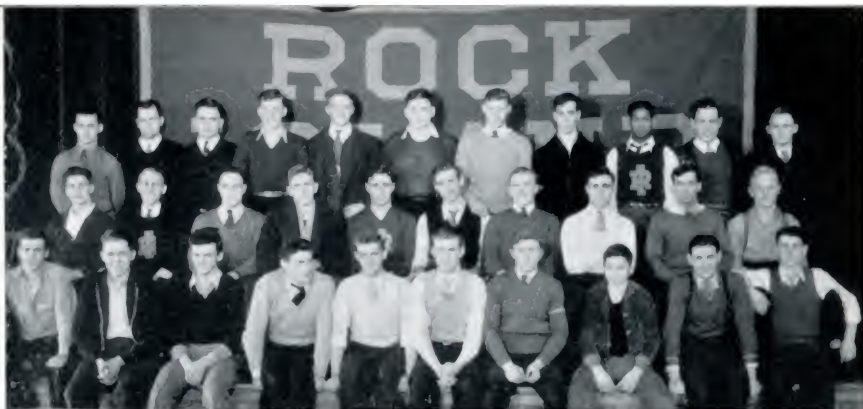
The team opened the season September 23 of last year by trouncing Savanna, 26 to 0. Next followed a hard-fought battle with Grant High which the Cedar Rapids team won by a lone point. The next week Rock Island won the City Championship by overwhelming St. Joseph High School, 31 to 0. Playing at Kewanee the Crimson lost a close game, 7 to 0,



Taylor, Place, Wilson, Danenfelser,
Osterman, Means, Hofer, Ankney,
Hunker, Anderson.

Johnson, Brown, Holtzer, Seline, N.
McDonald, Brahm, Tolmie, R. Mc-
Donald, Karr, Trommer.

Maihack, Martin, Frisk, Schelstralte,
Donnelly, Gruby, Miller, Tiede-
mann, Garland, Downing, Peter-
son.



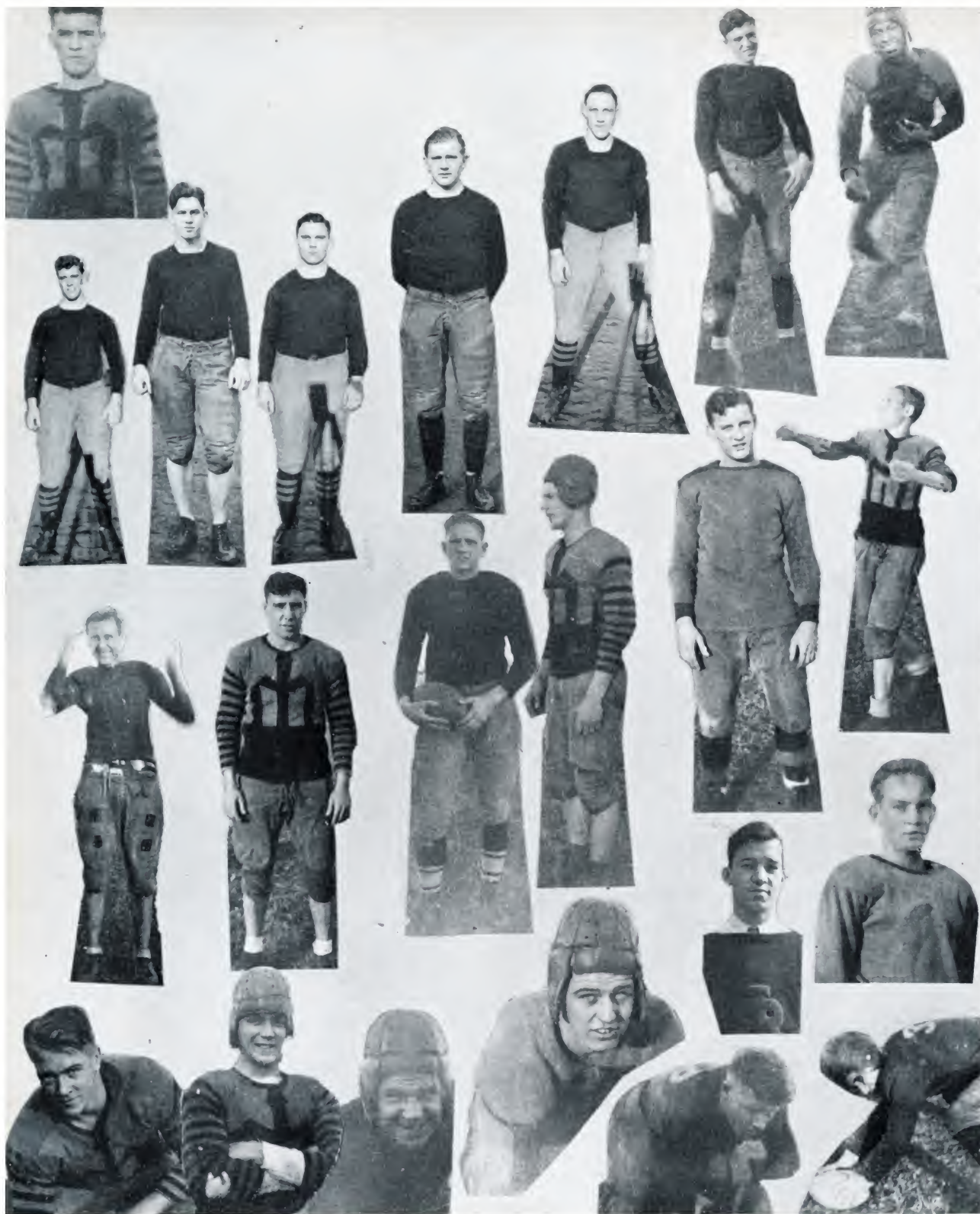
although outplaying the Boilermakers all the way. Galesburg was encountered next and again the Islanders outplayed the Big Nine champions but had to be content with a 7 to 7 tie.

At this point the Crimson powerhouse swung into action. Monmouth was smothered under a barrage of touchdowns, 46 to 0. Before a large crowd at Davenport, Rock Island defeated the Red and Blue, our traditional rivals, 13 to 0. Quincy fell before the Crimson the following week; then a strong East Moline team temporarily halted Rock Island's march toward the quad-city crown by winning a clean-cut victory. But the team came back on Thanksgiving Day, before 7,200 people at our own stadium, to beat a determined, but outclassed, Moline eleven and ended the season in a blaze of glory, with the distinction of being 1933 Quad-City Champions.

Here are some statistics from the four quad-city games including the St. Joseph game, proving the true worth of the Rock Island High School team.

	R. I.	Opponents		R. I.	Opponents
Yards lost	55	150	First Downs	37	30
Net gain, yards...	933	723	Yards scrimmage .	616	372
Points	51	19	Yards passing ...	166	177





FOOTBALL LETTERMEN

First row: Means (captain), Osterman, Johnson, Frisk, Tolmie, Holzer, Hofer, Garland.

Second row: Brahm, N. MacDonald, Seline, Danenfelser, Maihack, Brown.

Third row: Donnelly, Hunker, Trommer, Anderson, Karr, Peterson, Miller, R. MacDonald.



Tolmie, N. MacDonald, Kramer, Fink, Birkhahn, Condrack, Henry, Ankney, Tudor, R. McDonald, DeReus, Brahm.

BASKETBALL

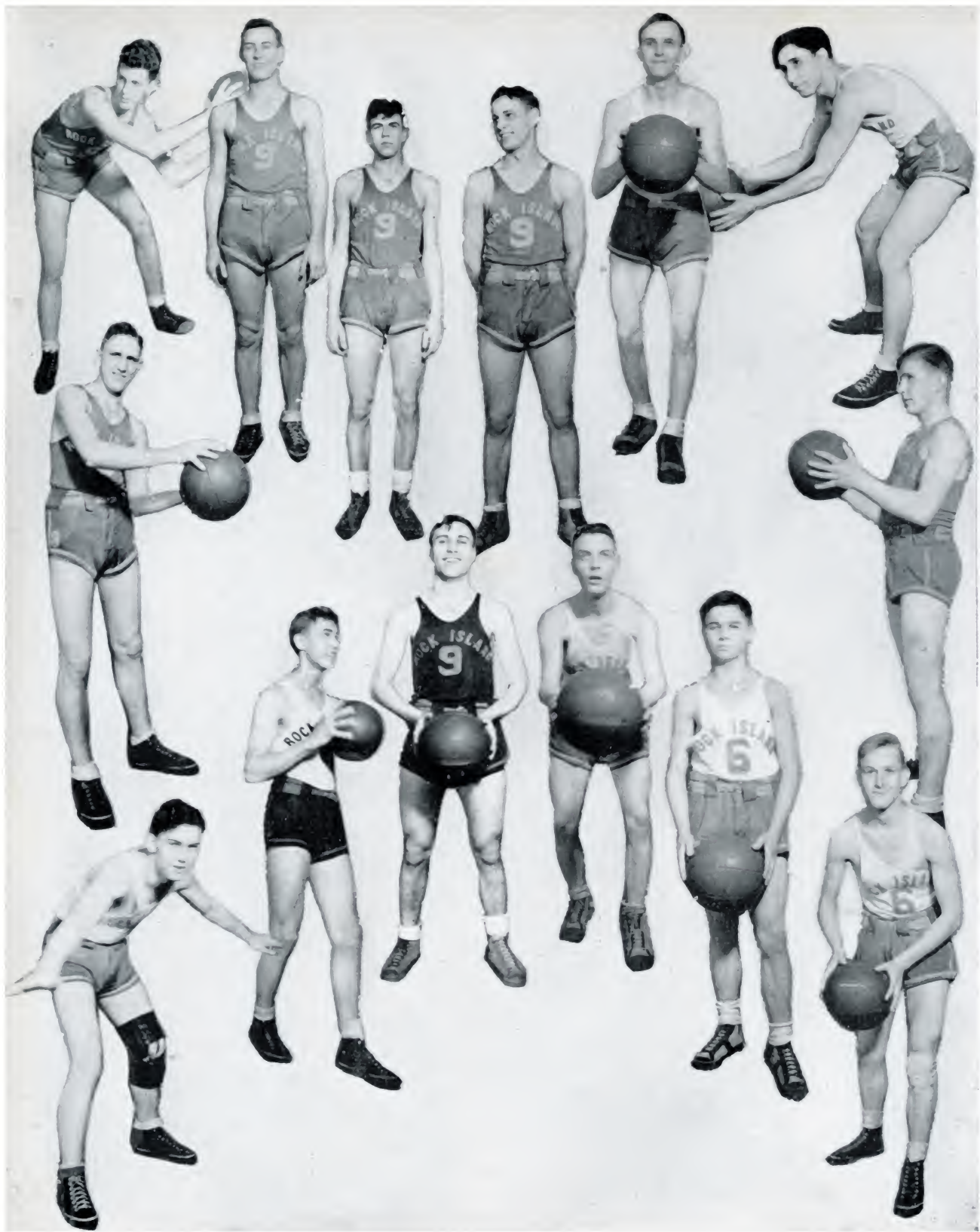
Coach Greene's charges opened their season on December 15, at Sterling, but due to shortness of training, the Crimson were defeated. After another loss, Rock Island won its first victory, trouncing Savanna, 33 to 22. Then the Crimson quintet dropped a hectic game to St. Joseph High School. Two other losses followed, including a one-point overtime period defeat by Davenport, before a victory was again chalked up at the expense of Princeton. Rock Island then tasted defeat at the hands of both East Moline and Moline.

The second school semester brought better luck to Coach Greene's men, and three out of seven were annexed. Monmouth and Geneseo fell before the Crimson, 27 to 20 and 30 to 9, respectively. The Crimson avenged an earlier defeat by beating Orion, 29 to 23, on their own court. Kewanee defeated Rock Island in a close game. The quad-city jinx still clung to the Crimson, and they dropped all three quad-city encounters.

Soon the district tournament started, with Rock Island as host and defending champion. The Crimson won easily over Viola and Andover and were pitted against East Moline in the semi-finals. After a close battle, Rock Island was eliminated by a score of 35 to 27.

The season's record of the Crimson quintet showed 7 victories and 13 losses. It is significant, however, that 6 of the defeats were by 6 points or less and these games could have gone either way. One thing can be said of this year's team—that regardless of the outcome of the games, the players put forth their best efforts.

Mel Seline was the team's leading scorer, while Harold Fink, Bill Kramer, forwards, and Ken Johnson, Norman MacDonald, guards, played consistent ball all season.



BASKETBALL

Henry, Brahm, DeReus, Fink, Birkhahn, N. MacDonald, Seline, Tolmie.
Johnson, Tudor, R. MacDonald, Condrack, Ankney, Kramer.



TRACK

Encountering cold weather during the first week of practice, Coach Kimmel was able to send his charges through only light work-outs. However, the next week found weather conditions favorable and the squad began training strenuously for the first dual meet with Dubuque, Saturday, April 7. Rock Island easily won this meet by a margin of 74 4-5 to 44 1-5. The Crimson trackmen captured 11 first places out of a possible 15, and also took 7 second places. Captain Jack Brown and Joe Brahm tied for high point honors with 8 points each. The next contest was a dual meet with Davenport at the stadium, Saturday, April 14. The Crimson track team lost this meet by a count of 80 to 55, but Rock Island nevertheless won 7 first places in the 15 events. Davenport was especially strong in the field events, winning 4 of the 6 events, while the crimson trackmen were superior in the races taking 5 of the 9 running contests. Kenny Johnson scored 10 points to lead the Crimson in that department. The next Saturday the Rock Island trackmen took Muscatine into camp by a margin of 78 to 57. Harold Fink smashed the stadium 120-yard high hurdle record of 16.5 seconds by breasting the tape in 16.4 seconds. Captain Brown and Joe Brahm won individual high point honors in this meet, each scoring 10 points. DeReus and Maihack each garnered $8\frac{3}{4}$ points and Fink contributed 8 points to the Crimson total. The next Thursday the Islanders won a convincing victory over their traditional rival, Moline. Although the Crimson were conceded but a slight edge, the Rock Island trackmen copped 10 first places out of 15 events, and won by the count of $76\frac{1}{2}$ to $54\frac{2}{3}$.

Here is the remaining schedule:

April 27 and 28: Drake Relays. Rock Island sends a mile relay team to the relays.

May 5: Big Nine (Rock Island).

May 12: District Meet (Rock Island).

May 15 and 16: Quad-City (Davenport).

May 18 and 19: State Meet (Urbana).





THE CAST

Elijah	<i>Robert Tappendorf</i>
Mrs. Quimby	<i>Ruth Robinson</i>
William Hallowell Magee.....	<i>LeRoy Gippert</i>
John Bland	<i>William Bell</i>
Mary Norton	<i>Ruth Evelyn Harris</i>
Mrs. Rhodes	<i>Mary Replogle</i>
Peters, the hermit.....	<i>Carl Trommer</i>
Myra Thornhill	<i>Betty Carney</i>
Lou Max	<i>Ted Knox</i>
Jim Cargan	<i>John Canum</i>
Thomas Hayden	<i>John Erickson</i>
Jiggs Kennedy	<i>William Ellison</i>
The Owner of Baldpate.....	<i>Fred Armstrong</i>

DRAMATIC CLUB PLAY

Murder, ghosts, crime, mystery, politics, a novelist, a girl reporter, and romance distinguish "Seven Keys to Baldpate," Dramatic club play production.

William Magee, author of wild, thrilling, love-mystery tales, comes to lonely Baldpate Inn on a bet. Known as a "cheap melodramatic ranter" he makes a wager with his friend, the owner of Baldpate, that within 24 hours, in the loneliest spot on earth, he can write a great literary novel. The inn fills all requirements, and at midnight in the dead of winter, Magee begins his work. The only key is given by him by the caretaker and his wife who leave the author to his own resources.

The *only* key! But there the story starts, for no less than a gangster with stolen bonds, a one-armed hermit, a lovely girl reporter, a sophisticated lady bandit, a railroad president, and a crooked city mayor possess keys and *use them*, disturbing the aspiring writer, and causing the same excitement to be developed in Magee's melodrama. And therein lies the plot, a theme involving many complications.

Just when the audience reached the edge of their seats, when hair began to stand on end, and hearts to beat with uncontrollable rapidity—the fact was announced from the stage that it was a play within a play, or a plot within a dream.—Oh, dear! It's still got us going. Nevertheless, to the Dramatic club goes the County Fair's blue ribbon for the "sleekest of productions."

SPEECH CLASS PLAYS

With student directors, student property, stage, and make-up managers, the speech classes' evening of four one-act plays was an interesting culmination of their two years' work. The excellence of acting showed the large audience how necessary and helpful the speech course is.

FUR AND WARMER

Gretchen Farraday MARJORIE DAVIS
Mrs. Farraday... RUTH NELSON
Winnifred Conniston
 MARTHA CARLSON
Daisy..... BETTY WEIR
Dentworth Holby... BILL TUDOR
Peter Sanders
 WAYNE FAIRMAN
Richard Brook.... CARL NOACK
William O'Gara.....
 ROBERT TAPPENDORF

FINDERS-KEEPERS

Eugene Aldrid... JOHN ERICKSON
Mrs. Aldrid... MARILYN WELCH
Mrs. Hampton
 KATHERINE FASBENDER

THE CLOD

Mrs. Trask MIRIAM WESSEL
Thaddeus Trask
 ORVILLE MCCULLOUGH
Northern Soldier
 LEROY GIPPERT
Southern Sergeant
 BILL ELLISON
Dick..... WILLIAM BELL

THE GHOST STORY

Anne..... KATHLEEN LIITT
George..... ROBERT ECKHART
Grace..... ALICE LINDSTROM
Mary..... JUNE MEADE
Lennie..... ALICE HOFFMAN
Floyd FAY DOWNING
Tom MORRIS ED
Lynn..... RALPH DEVINE
Fred..... AXEL SKEPPSTEDT





JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

The juniors have gone "skidding" right into a blaze of success, and they, who only two years ago entered the high school timid and cowering, have astounded us all with their dramatic ability. It was a grand combination of comedy, excitement, drama, and—romance! There was the eternal triangle and—girls, gather close,—the heroine wore at least half a dozen costumes. But after all, the "play's the thing" so let's get down to business.

In the Hardy living room in a small Idaho town, Judge Hardy is waging a losing campaign for district judge nomination, and is bitterly reflecting the many years of honest service he has given the people who are now turning against him. Andy is also in a bitter mood because he must take a bath, and go to a party escorting a girl. The outlook is bleak, when Marion arrives home from college, enthusiastic and vivacious about the completion of a political science course. Wayne Trenton III, her handsome and rich fiancé, has also come to be introduced to the family. Marion learns of the defeat facing her father, and immediately rushes to the city hall, where the people are holding a meeting, and delivers a fiery speech.

The next morning her speech appears verbatim along with favorable reports in the morning newspaper. Marion secures her father's consent to her approaching marriage with Wayne Trenton, and life is rosy for the Hardys. But wait—that isn't the end, for all of a sudden, Marion's married sisters, Estelle and Myra, come in unannounced. They have left their husbands, and bewail the fate of wives. Marion begins to wonder, decides to postpone her wedding and run for state legislator. Mrs. Hardy, thoroughly disgusted with her family, packs and leaves. Then comes the election. Judge Hardy loses district nomination but by some quirk of fate secures nomination to Supreme Court. Marion wins her nomination. The sisters go back to their husbands—and oh, yes! Marion gets Wayne and a bungalow lot.

THE CAST

<i>Aunt Milly</i>	RUTH ROBINSON
<i>Andy</i>	PIERCE MCMURTRIE
<i>Judge Hardy</i>	JOHN ERICKSON
<i>Mrs. Hardy</i>	ELIZABETH ANN MONTGOMERY
<i>Estelle Hardy Campbell</i>	BETTY WEIR
<i>Marion Hardy</i>	MARILYN WELCH
<i>Wayne Trenton III</i>	RAY MARTIN
<i>Myra Hardy Wilcox</i>	NEVA ROBERTSON
<i>Mr. Stubbins</i>	BOB MALONEY



OPERETTA

"When a young man's fancy turns to—" operettas, you can be sure it's spring, especially when the operetta in question is "Up in the Air." Now, there have been operettas and operettas, but this operetta really had us "Up in the air"—it was so different. Everything about it was extraordinary. For there wasn't *one* hero, *one* heroine, *one* love story, or *one* comedian. No, indeed! There were two of each.

You see, it all started in Beverly Hills, California, at the palatial residence of Henry McCullom, movie producer, and—in a garden. So far, so good. But—there is a but! Joe Bennett is an expert aviator out of a job, and to make matters worse, madly in love with Shirley Kingston, whom he cannot marry due to lack of funds. Mr. McCullom promises Joe a job as a double in pictures, should the need arise, and although that does not put money in Joe's pocket, it puts sunshine in his heart.

Then there's Harold. Poor Harold! He is madly in love with Betty Burbank, whose father will have none of him, because he admires bravado, and Harold is only a poor working boy. It all looks very dark for Harold, but his friend, Jim Carter, promises to help him out. And he does—oh, yes, he does! Mr. McCullom decides to have Joe prove his talents as an aviator and entertain McCullom's guests by doing some fancy flying. In addition, he promises \$5,000 to the man who will make a parachute jump.

Jim tells Harold he has a plan whereby all he need do is promise to make the parachute jump, and Jim will somehow save him from carrying it through. But the plan falls flat! That is, the plan which will save Harold from having to make the jump, and he is forced to carry it through. In the midst of Joe's tricks, Harold becomes deathly afraid and falls out of the plane. By a miracle his parachute opens, and he is acclaimed as the master hero of the age.

The ending? Oh, yes. Joe gets a job with McCullom at an immense salary, Harold wins the hand of the beautiful Betty, and everyone joins in singing "Love All."

Such was the trend of the story, good, in itself, but made doubly interesting by lovely music and catchy songs.



ALICE LINDSTROM



CARL TROMMER

THE FROLIC

Were you ever at a three-ring circus, trying to keep your eyes glued on all three rings, drink pink lemonade, eat peanuts, and watch the clown, all at the same time? If so, you can truly appreciate the situation existing at the Frolic this year.

The corridors had all the essentials of a real circus, with barkers trying to outdo each other in noise and velocity. It really didn't take any time, though, to catch on to what they were saying, and to attempt to make up your mind whether to enter the stately portals of the Latin Club and listen to the strains of tin-pan orchestra, or to have your face lifted and fortune told in the Commercial Club beauty parlor. But the real difficulty came in choosing the drama of the evening, for tragedy, mystery, comedy, all were portrayed by no less than the Dramatic Club with the Doofunny family; the Blackhawk Tribe with something about a Sugar Daddy; the Science Club with domestic problems; the German Club with the family album; and the Boys' Hi-Y with an all-star cast. And, of course, the Alpha Club had the usual fish-pond. The Girls' Hi-Y presented an astoundingly elegant and impressive operetta called "Il Advertiso," which incidentally captured the gold cup for the best show of the evening.

But the climax of the evening came when Principal Hanson stepped from the Senate dance, swinging the cane which he won at the General Activity's booth, and announced the winners of the popularity contest: Alice (Lindy) Lindstrom and Carl (Whitie) Trommer.

Yes, it left us as all good frolics: with hoarse voices, with stiff necks, and with tired eyes.



SOPHOMORE PARTY

Wa'al, I had a hard day in the fields, Mirandy, but I finally got all that thar corn heaped up in the barn.

Say, Mirandy, whar's that moosic a' comin' from? Let's go take a look.

Wa'al, I swan! It's Ted Knox and his Hi-Hatters, and they got a bunch of them thar sofymores in tow. Looks like they're headed for my barn. Yes, siree! That's where they're a' goin'. And look, Mirandy! They got on their overalls and gingham purties. Wa'al, I swan'.

Seein's as how it's my barn, I don't know but what I'll have a dance or two myself.

"The lady steps forward and the gent steps—" (Ow, my roomatiz'). That's right nice, now, Mirandy, but I vow it's treacheras'. Those sofymores are striking it up lively.

Wa'al, I swan! They're a' going' to hev some amoosement, too! Martie Lockwood and Jeanette Welcher jest finished one of them new-fangled city dances, and now Charlotte Ewing is playin' the pyano akorjon. Ain't that nice?

Grashus sakes, they're dancin' agin!

"Whoa, Dobbin!" It's a earthquake like they hev in Californy. Wa'al I swan, it's only eatin' time! (My, them sofymores eat most as hard as they dance.)

The or-kes-tra's playin' agin, Mirandy. It's Home, Sweet Home! Lands, I might jest as well not go to bed. It's almost time to get up. I swan!

JUNIOR-SENIOR PARTIES

FALL PARTY

"I wanna lollypop!" "Gimme my doll!" Tall Lord Fauntleroy lads and much beruffled lassies, pink elephants, crude caricatures of "Teacher" on the walls, cards, ("Oh, no, you don't! Where'd you get the fifth ace?") bunco, dancing, Maxine Hunker, Dick Schwenker, crooner, a real "meler-drama," "And the Villain Pursued Her," featuring the father, the mortgage, the daughter, hero, and villain; and then pie and ice cream!

Revolutionary? Confusing? No, indeed! Just the November "kids' party" of the junior-senior classes. It was held on Saturday night, November 25, and the Manual Arts ballroom was transformed into a veritable kindergarten, decorated with colored lights and cut-outs.

Yes, "a good time was had by all." I nearly forgot! The kiddies stayed up 'till 10:30! Yes, siree!

SPRING PARTY

Midst an aura of color and modernistic design, the juniors acted as hosts to the senior class of 1934 on May 18. The M. A. ballroom was decorated with the latest in modern art, in the brilliant senior shades of black, silver, and red. There was even a rock garden featuring the senior flowers, peonies.

Never before in the history of junior-senior proms have there been so many junior hosts or senior guests, for the novel reception attracted many.

Dancing! Dancing! Everybody was dancing—why, there was even a broom dance and everyone joined in. And there was an adagio dance, (you know, the kind where everyone throws everyone else around) presented in the auditorium. Coming back to the ballroom, Florence Appelquist, '28, and Earl McGinnis taught the latest dance steps to the juniors and seniors, and then they kept on dancing way until 11:30 p.m., when Ted Knox's orchestra played the old refrain, "Home, Sweet Home."

Yes, it was the longest and grandest party ever held at R. I. H. S.

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George I.: "A group is a bunch of people containing a few more than several."

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Teacher: "What would Washington have done if Lafayette had not answered his call?"

Phil M.: "I s'pose he'd have waited in the telephone booth and got his nickel back."

* * *

YEAH!

Two Negro women were discussing present conditions. One of them remarked, "It shuah is too bad, ain't it, dat dis heah depression had to come jes' when times is so hard."



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"My teacher told me," said Bobby, "that the ant is the busiest thing in the world, but I notice that they have time to go to all the picnics."

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Aunt Fannie: "Aren't you going to say the blessing, dearie?"

Machine Age child: "This food is coming to you through the courtesy of God Almighty."

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As the colored doorman ran down to open the limousine door, he tripped and rolled down the last four steps.

"For heaven's sake, be careful," cried the club manager, "they'll think you're a member."



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"Where did you learn to become such an expert swimmer?"
"I served several years as a traffic cop in Venice."

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"That's a skyscraper," announced the guide.
"Gosh," said the tourist from the districts, "I'd like to see it work."

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Young lady to clerk: "I'd like to see some invisible hairnets."

* * *

Nurse: "I think he's regaining consciousness, doctor, he tried to blow the foam off his medicine."

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It was Pat's first day on the job as train conductor. Forgetting the name of a station they stopped at, he shouted at the passengers, "Here ye are for where ye're going. All in there for here come out."

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Lecturer: "This man is the tallest man in the world; his bed has to be nine feet long."

Listener: "Aw, that's a lot of bunk."

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Simplified Art

Carl Noack was displaying his works of art. When we visited him, he proudly said,

"Look at this; it is my latest masterpiece."

We looked and saw nothing but an expanse of bare canvas. We asked, "What does that represent?"

"That? Why that's the passage of the Israelites through the Red Sea."

"Beg pardon, but where is the sea?"

"It has been driven back."

"And where are the Israelites?"

"They crossed over."

"And the Egyptians?"

"They will be here directly. That's the sort of painting I like—simple and unpretentious."

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"And that is—"

"Noodle soup, head cheese, coconut pie."

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Girls when they went out to swim,
Once dressed like Mother Hubbard.
Now they have a different whim,
They dress more like her cupboard.

* * *

From Cross-Word Puzzler's Dictionary

A book used to hold family photographs—Albumen.

Young ducks—Ducats.

Divisions of words—Cylinders.

To steal a child for ransom—Viaduct.

Four quarts in Spanish—Galleon.

French for soup—Portage.

A unit of electric power—Wart.

Being a lover of sardines—Sardonic.

Man who drives a taxicab—Taxidermist.

A term of endearment used to a sweetheart by a man with a cold in
his head—Swedey.

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"Just think," said Martie as she gazed soulfully into a tank of tad-
poles in the Botany room, "that all of those ugly little things will some
day be big beautiful butterflies."



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CLASS OF 1934

Has there any young fellow got mixed with the old?
If there has, take him out and let him be told,
"Let the world's wheels roll on; just the future is right.
Life passes quickly. We're fifty tonight."

We're fifty! We're fifty! Who says we are less?
Old fossil. He's crazy! A mere flippant guess.
We're youthful at fifty? Yes, gay if we please.
Where life is, there youth is, and age does not tease.

We've a habit that may seem a tiny mite queer,
The way we address our famed friends over here.
Now, this man—we call him just Gene—but he's president
Of the Crooner's Aid—dignity is evident.

And here, the great doctor from John Hopkins U,
We call him just Syd—and an orator too.
And there, the romancer of Hollywood fame.
To us, Comic Whitie,—for what's in a name?

And over there, the famous brain trust mob,
Led by Lorin, Harry, Herbie, and Bob.
And all the senators, pompous and wise,
Are greeted by us with the commonest "Hi's".

Now, there used to be news in the Hearst chain, and such.
But the thing that they lacked was the old Zeffren touch.
In the newspaper land, he's a terror and joy.
Yet, hear us call him "Ziffie, old boy."

And there is a lad of greatest renown.
Fate tried to conceal him by calling him Brown.
But, sir, you can't keep a good fellow down.
So, now Jack's broad jumper of great renown.

Then, the women, I tell you, are toeing the line.
There is Martha in the White House, and Helen's doing fine.
There is V. Hodson, politically wise;
She seems but a child with her innocent eyes.

Then, there's a poet with flowing mane
(Morrie Ed began while still quite sane.)
And Bob Eckhart, the world's greatest knitter, we see.
Ah, who would have known, who could but foresee?

You say we are youths—we claim we are men,
Ever playing with words and jesting with pen.
And yet, while we're toying with future and past,
Our hearts sort of choke us, for this is the last.

Our roads they are parting—will they e'er meet again?
Not as youth, dear Lord, but as women and men?
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A Word of Encouragement

"Oh, I know a few things!" said the haughty senior, Beattie.

"Well, you haven't anything on me," retorted young McMurtrie. "I guess I know as few things as anybody."

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Heads and Heads

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Mr. Hanson was invited to address a group of Augustana students and had as his subject, "The Need of Education." The following day a newspaper headline reported, "High School Principal's Speech Shows Need of Education."

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As the lady strolled through the park, two urchins confronted her.

"I say, lady," said the taller of the two, "my brother does fine imitash-ing: give 'im a penny and he'll imitate a 'en."

"Dear, dear," smiled the lady. "And what will he do, will he cackle?"

"No," replied the lad with a look of contempt, "he won't do no cheap imitashin' o' that sort. 'E'll eat a worm."

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"How much are your peaches?"

"Penny each, lady."

"I'll have one, please."

"Givin' a party?"

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Golfer (to foursome ahead): "Pardon me, but would you mind if we played through? I just heard that my wife is seriously ill."

Bell Hop (after guest had rung for ten minutes): "Did you ring, sir?"

Guest: "No, I was tolling. I thought you were dead."

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It was in the course called "The Bible as Literature" that this happened. The instructor was saying: "And Lot's wife looked back and turned into a pillar of salt."

Someone stirred in the back of the room. "Typical woman driver," came a sleepy voice.

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New missionary: "And you don't know anything about religion?"

Cannibal chieftain: "Well, we got a little taste of it when the last missionary was here."

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"Be sure of your facts," said Miss Stoddard crisply. "If you aren't sure, quote somebody. Don't let the paper make statements you can't prove. Got that?"

"Yes, mam," said the new reporter for the Bi-Weekly. This was his first story:

"The assembly opened with what some call a short talk by Mr. Hanson, commonly known as principal of the high school, and said by some to be a good speaker. He spoke, so we are told, on what is termed sportsmanship, and was supported on the platform by the so-called Sportsmanship chairman."

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I'm going to sneeze.

At who?

Atchoo.

* * *

JUST COME TO

"So you were upta Montreal, last week, eh?"

"Yeh—that's what I hear."

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ALL SET FOR A SCRAP

A man in Atchison, Kansas, can play a ukulele with his toes. This has an advantage, leaving the hands free for self-defense.

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Optimist—"Cheer up, old man. Things aren't as bad as they seem to be."

Pessimist—"No, but they seem to be."

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Child (to young man who has called)—"Sister told me to entertain you till she comes down."

Young man—"Oh, she did, did she?"

Child—"Yes—and I'm not to answer too many questions."

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A diplomat is a man who can give his wife a \$70 washing-machine and make her forget it was a \$700 coat she wanted.

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PROFESSIONAL TOUCH

Dentist—"Which tooth do you want extracted?"

Pullman Porter—"Lower seven."

* * *

CHANCE TO EXPLAIN

Rupert—"Darling, in the moonlight your teeth are like pearls."

Marjorie—"Oh, indeed! And when were you in the moonlight with Pearl?"

* * *

WON THE MUG

Recruit—"Well, what's the matter? Didn't I do all right in the parade?"

Top Sergeant (sweetly)—"Sure you did all right! Didn't you win it by half a yard?"

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HEALTHY EXERCISE

He—"Are you fond of moving pictures, Jennie?"

She (hopefully)—"Aye, Sandy."

"Then maybe, lass, ye'll help me get half-a-dozen doon out o' the attic."

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"Guess I want another floorwalker," replied the old gentleman. "I'm the new owner."

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HEADLONG DOCILITY

Clark—"Does your wife really obey you?"

Darke—"Sometimes. When I say, 'Go ahead and never mind me,' she always does."

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ON THE SAFE SIDE

Father—"Are there half fares for children?"

Conductor—"Yes, under fourteen."

Father—"That's all right. I've only five."

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ZOOLOGICAL WHAT-IS-IT?

Teacher—"Johnny, to what class of the animal kingdom do I belong?"

Johnny—"I don't know, teacher. Pa says you're an old hen and ma says you're an old cat."

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BANSHEE SOLO

He—"She sang that song in a haunting manner."

She—"Do you think so?"

He—"Yes, there was just the ghost of a resemblance to the original air."

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BOY WHO MADE GOOD

"What do you regard as the best speech you ever made?"

"I haven't any preference," answered Senator Sorghum, "but the ones that afforded me most satisfaction were my various speeches of acceptance."

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Old hand—" 'Fraid I can't; I'm a student myself!"

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HUMAN ERASER

Circus Manager—"Well, what's wrong now?"

India-Rubber Man—"Every time the Strong Man writes a letter he uses me to rub out the mistakes."

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HINT FOR TRAVELERS

To close a trunk when overpacked.

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2. Trunk lid will automatically slam and remain permanently locked.

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DRIVING WITH BRAINS

"Say, Bill, why do you always hit your horses on one side?"

Teamster—"I figure if I get one side going, the other is pretty sure to follow."

* * *

BLESSINGS OF INVENTION

George (from next door): "Mrs. Jones, may I use your telephone?"

Mrs. Jones: "Certainly, George. Is yours out of order?"

George: "Well, not exactly, but Sis is using it to hold up the window, ma's cutting biscuits with the mouthpiece and baby's teething on the cord."

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* * *

A teacher was telling her class little stories in natural history, and she asked if anyone could tell her what a groundhog was. Up went a little hand, waving frantically.

"Well, Tommy, you may tell us what a groundhog is."

"Please, ma'am, it's a sausage."

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Customer: "Have you any camel's hair brushes?"

Clerk: "No, it wouldn't do. None of our customers keeps a camel."

* * *

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A woman well on in years entered a drug store and said:

"Have you any creams for restoring the complexion?"

"Restoring, miss? You mean preserving," said the druggist heartily.

And he then sold the woman \$17 worth of complexion creams.

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IN CLASSIC BOSTON

Restaurant orchestras in Boston are so versatile they play anything a diner may request. Recently a patron was asked what he would like the orchestra to play. "If it is agreeable to everybody else," said the diner, "I wish they would play checkers till I finish my dinner."

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SOME WAIT

A retail dealer in paint goods wrote to a firm in New York City ordering a carload of merchandise. The New York firm wired:

"Can not ship order until you pay for last consignment."

"Unable to wait so long," telegraphed the dealer. "Cancel the order."

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A GOOD GUESS

Frosh: "Where do the jellyfish get their jelly?"

Prost: "From the ocean currents, I guess."

* * *

AND NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH

A negro was pleading his own case to save the price of a lawyer. He called the chief witness to the stand and said, "Joshua, where was I when we stole dose chickens?"

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Live, love, toil with a will;
Place no faith in "tomorrow," for
The clock may then be still.

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Here lies a man who saved his all
For days when the rain and snow should fall;
He knew no pleasure, shared no game—
And died before the blizzard came.

* * *

Hubby: "You can't make biscuits like my mother could."
Wifey: "You can't make dough like my father could."

NOBLE TAXPAYER

Taxes to right of them,
Taxes to left of them,
Taxes in front of them—
What could be gayer!
Theirs not to wonder why,
Theirs not to say "Too high,"
Theirs but to pay and sigh—

* * *

Meeks—"My wife prefers tea for breakfast, while I prefer coffee."

Bleeks—"Then I suppose it is necessary to have both, eh?"

Meeks—"Oh, no; we compromise."

Bleeks—"In what way?"

Meeks—"We have tea."

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A NATURAL CONCLUSION

An American motoring through a small Scotch town was pulled up for excessive speed.

"Didn't you see that notice, 'Dead Slow'?" inquired the policeman.

"Course I did," replied the Yankee, "but I thought it referred to your durned little town."





THE WRONG PIECE OF FURNITURE

"Good morning, sir! Will you take a chair?"

Installment Collector: "No thank you, ma'am, I've come to take the radio."

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ODD, ISN'T IT?

A match has a head but no face.
 A watch has a face but no head.
 A river has a mouth but no tongue.
 A wagon has a tongue but no mouth.
 An umbrella has ribs but no trunk.
 A tree has a trunk but no ribs.
 A clock has hands but no arms.
 The sea has arms but no hands.
 A rooster has a comb but no hair.
 A rabbit has hair but no comb.
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FROM THE QUESTION BOX

Question—"My daughter thinks there is no man good enough for her."

Answer—"She may be right. And she may be left."

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ONE SYMPTOM LACKING

A doctor was attending an old lady from Scotland who had caught a severe cold.

"Did your teeth chatter when you felt the chill coming on?" he inquired.

"I dinna ken, doctor," he replied gravely. "They were lying on the table there."

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The Boy Friend (calling up his girl): "Hello, dear, would you like to have dinner with me tonight?"

She: "I'd love to."

He: "Well, tell your mother I'll be right over."

* * *

Question—"What is the 'line of least resistance'?"

Answer—"The dotted one, when the vacuum-cleaner salesman calls and begins to argue."

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COMING CLEAN

Mrs. Corntossel—"I've been expectin' a package of medicine for a week and haven't got it yet."

Expressman—"Yes, ma'am. Please fill in this paper and state the nature of your complaint."

"Well, if you must know, it's indigestion."

BARGAIN BURGLARY

The Gossip—"I hear your store was robbed last night. Lose much?"

The Optimist—"Some. But it would have been worse if the yeggs had got in the night before. You see, yesterday I just finished marking down everything 20 per cent."

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TRAFFIC MARTYRS

Shed a tear
For Ellis Bree,
The car he hit
Was marked "P. D."

Weave a wreath
For Adolph Blopp;
The guy he scraped
Was a traffic cop.

And to that list
Add Danny Muck,
Who thought he could
Pass a fire truck.

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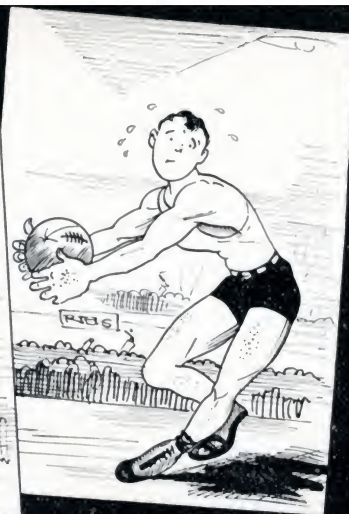
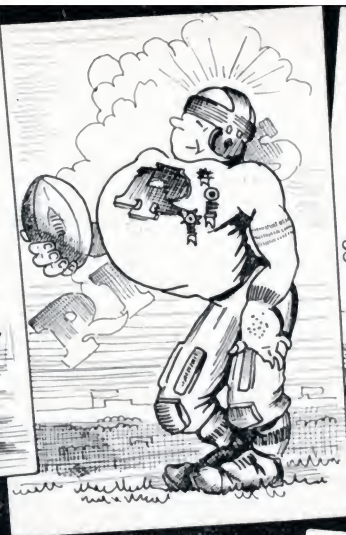
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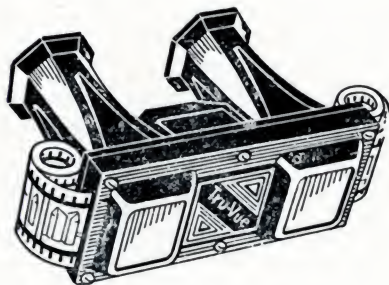
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"Not very p-r-e-t-t-y, is she?"

"No," said the child, "but awful s-m-a-r-t."

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"Mother," asked little Benny, when guests were present for dinner,
will the dessert hurt me or is there enough to go around?"

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Tourist: "They have just dug up the corner stone of an ancient li-
brary in Greece, on which is inscribed "4000 B.C."

Englishman: "Before Carnegie, I presume."

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"Father," said the little boy, "had Solomon seven hundred wives?"

"I believe so, my son."

"Well, father, was he the man who said, 'Give me liberty or give me
death'?"

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M. M. M. entered a crowded street car with a pair of skates slung
over her arm. An elderly gentleman arose to give her his seat.

"Thank you very much sir," she said, "but I've been skating all after-
noon, and I'm tired of sitting down."

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Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"
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.....ALICE LAISNER
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.....KATHERINE FASBENDER
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ArtELMER STEINKE
Piano Solo, "Sequidilla"—*Albeniz*.....ADELE LERMAN
"Nothing and Something".....SIDNEY DEUTSCH
Duet, "An Old Lullaby".....GLENN WHITE AND WILLIAM LINDSTROM
Gifts to the Juniors.....MARY WOODIN
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Clerk: "Thank you very much, sir. You are very kind."

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Tourist: "What a beautiful grapefruit."

Californian: "O, those lemons are a little small."

Tourist: "What are those enormous yellow blossoms?"

Californian: "Just a bunch of dandelions."

Tourist (as they reached the Sacramento river): "Ah! Somebody's radiator must be leaking."

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Wife: "I wish I were a man."

Husband: "Why?"

Wife: "I could make my little wife so happy by getting that hat I saw in the window yesterday."

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Seedy Visitor: "Do you have many wrecks about here, boatman?"

Boatman: "Not very many, sir. You're the first I've seen this season."

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You don't look very well.

No, I've been unconscious for eight hours.

Heavens! What was wrong?

Nothing—I was just sleeping.

* * *

Ben: "Bob, what is your average income?"

Bob: "About 3:30 a. m."

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"That's right," she encouragingly remarked. "Now, tell me why we put a hyphen in bird-cage?"

"It's for the bird to sit on," was the startling reply.

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Mr. Dunlap: "What is an iceberg?"

Joe B. "Why, a permanent wave."

* * *

An old darky once lay seriously ill of fever and was treated for a long time by one doctor, and then another doctor, for some reason, came and took the first one's place. The second physician made a thorough examination of the patient. At the end he said, "Did the other doctor take your temperature?"

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Medical student: "What did you operate on that man for?"

Eminent surgeon: "Two hundred dollars."

Medical Student: "I mean, what did he have?"

Eminent surgeon: "Two hundred dollars."

* * *

"What caused the coolness between you and that young doctor? I thought you were engaged."

"His writing is rather illegible. He sent me a note calling for 10,000 kisses."

"Well?"

"I thought it was a prescription, and took it to the druggist to be filled."



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A tourist while traveling in the north of Scotland, far away from anywhere, exclaimed to one of the natives: "Why, what do you do when any of you are ill? You can never get a doctor."

"Nae, sir," replied Sandy. "We've jist to dee a naitural death."

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Young housewives obliged to practice strict economy will sympathize with the sad experience of a Washington woman.

When her husband returned home one evening he found her dissolved in tears, and careful questioning elicited the reason for her grief.

"Dan," said she, "every day this week I have stopped to look at a perfect love of a hat in Mme. Louise's window. Such a hat, Dan, such a beautiful hat! But the price—well, I wanted it the worst way, and just couldn't afford to buy it."

"Well, dear," began the husband recklessly, "we might manage to—"

"Thank you, Dan," interrupted the wife, "but there isn't any 'might' about it. I paid the cook this noon, and what do you think? She marched right down herself and bought that hat!"

* * *

Teacher: "Tommy, why do ducks and geese fly north in the spring-time?"

Tommy: "Because it's too far to walk."

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Mrs. Littletown: "This magazine looks rather the worse for wear."

Mrs. Neartown: "Yes, it's the one I sometimes lend to the servant on Sunday."

Mrs. Littletown: "Doesn't she get tired of always reading the same one?"

Mrs. Neartown: "Oh, no. You see, it's the same book, but it's always a different servant."

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Mrs. Housen Hohm: "What is your name?"

Applicant for cookship: "Miss Arlington."

Mrs. Housen Hohm: "Do you expect to be called Miss Arlington?"

Applicant: "No, ma'am; not if you have an alarm clock in my room."

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Nora: "Sure, ma'am, no policeman would ever think iv kissin' yer baby whin I'm around."

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A young woman of a western town desired to show some kindness to a young officer of the militia to whom she had taken a fancy. She therefore dispatched this note:

"Mrs. Smythe requests the pleasure of Captain White's company at a reception on Friday evening."

A prompt reply came which read:

"With the exception of three men who are sick, Captain White's company accept your kind invitation and will come with pleasure to your reception Friday evening."

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"Recently," says a Richmond man, "I received an invitation to the marriage of a young colored couple formerly in my employ. I am quite sure that all persons similarly favored were left in little doubt as to the attitude of the couple. The invitation ran as follows:

"You are invited to the marriage of Mr. Henry Clay Barker and Miss Josephine Mortimer Dixon at the house of the bride's mother. All who cannot come may send."

* * *

"Dear teacher," wrote little Johnny's mother, "kindly excuse John's absence from school yesterday afternoon, as he fell in the mud. By doing the same you will greatly oblige his mother."

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The Land Looker

ACROSS prairies and through timberland, where lights in new homes twinkled at dusk, trudged the land-looker of pioneer days.

Back of him, in temporary quarters at a frontier settlement, was his family; ahead of him lay his opportunity to get a home.

No soldier under Caesar, no "dough-boy," under Pershing, ever marched with a heavier burden.

A long rifle, an axe, an auger, a window sash with panes in place and a huge knapsack, made of heavy bed-ticking and crammed with clothing and provisions—those were among the accoutrements of the land-looker as he pressed on into the wilderness.

He sought good plow land. Finding it, he located his quarter-section, built his pre-emption shanty, and lived in it the three days necessary to hold his claim for a year. Then, back more than a hundred miles to the frontier village and his family.

Soon his emigrant wagon was on the westward trail—an ox-drawn wagon, making six miles a day.

Boys trudged behind the wagon, driving milch cows and pigs. Mother sat in the front seat lulling the baby to sleep. Father strode, with long whip in hand, and long rifle in convenient grasp, beside the oxen. Stored back in the wagon, were the household goods—home-made furniture, home-made bedding, home-made clothing, spinning wheels, loom and crockery. In a coop, at the rear, were a half-dozen chickens. And swung up tightly to one side of the wagon was that symbol of civilization, chief reliance of the pioneer farmer—a John Deere plow.

Days and days of slow travel, and then—

—a new home-light beamed the message of achievement across the prairie at dusk; another family was established, ready with the John Deere plow to win a prosperous farm from the wilderness.

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One day a Chinese poor man met the head of his family in the street.

"Come and dine with us tonight," the mandarin said graciously.

"Thank you," said the poor relation. "But wouldn't tomorrow do just as well?"

"Yes, certainly. But where are you dining tonight?" asked the mandarin curiously.

"At your house. You see, your estimable wife was good enough to give me tonight's invitation."

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Two Irishmen were among a class that was being drilled in marching tactics. One was new at the business, and, turning to his companion, asked him the meaning of the command "Halt!" "Why," said Mike, "when he says 'Halt,' you just bring the foot that's on the ground to the side and the foot that's in the air and remain motionless."

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An Irishman once was mounted on a mule which was kicking its legs rather freely. The mule finally got its hoof caught in the stirrup, when the Irishman excitedly remarked: "Well, begorra, if you're goin' to git on, I'll git off."

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A servant of an English nobleman died and her relatives telegraphed him: "Jane died last night, and wishes to know if your lordship will pay her funeral expenses."

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A college professor, noted for strict discipline, entered the classroom one day and noticed a girl student sitting with her feet in the aisle and chewing gum.

"Mary," exclaimed the indignant professor, "take that gum out of your mouth and put your feet in."



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A southern colonel had a colored valet named George who received nearly all the colonel's cast-off clothing. He had his eyes on a certain pair of light trousers which were not wearing out fast enough to suit him, so he thought he would hasten matters somewhat by rubbing grease on one knee. When the colonel saw the spot, he called George and asked if he had noticed it. George said, "Yes, sah, Colonel, I noticed dat spot and tried mighty hard to get it out, but I couldn't."

"Have you tried gasoline?" the colonel asked.

"Yes, sah, Colonel, but it didn't do no good."

"Have you tried brown paper and a hot iron?"

"Yes, sah, Colonel, I'se done tried mos' everything I knows of, but dat spot wouldn't come out."

"Well, George, have you tried ammonia?" the colonel asked as a last resort.

"No, sah, Colonel, I ain't tried 'em on yet, but I knows dey'll fit."

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A negro went into a hardware shop and asked to be shown some razors, and after critically examining those submitted to him the would-be purchaser was asked why he did not try a "safety," to which he replied: "I ain' lookin' for that kind. I wants this for social purposes."

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We used to think that the smartest man ever born was the Connecticut Yankee who grafted white birch on red maples and grew barber poles. Now we rank that gentleman second. First place goes to an experimenter attached to the Berlin War Office, who has crossed carrier pigeons with parrots, so that Wilhelmstrasse can now get verbal messages through the enemy's lines.

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The ways in which application forms for insurance are filled up are often more amusing than enlightening, as The British Medical Journal shows in the following excellent selection of examples:

Mother died in infancy.

Father went to bed feeling well, and the next morning woke up dead.

Grandmother died suddenly at the age of 103. Up to this time she bade fair to reach a ripe old age.



"Doc, she done swallowed a bottle of ink!"

"I'll be over there in a short while to see her," said the doctor. "Have you done anything for her?"

"I done give her three pieces o' blottin'-paper, Doc," said the colored woman doubtfully.

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Nurse girl: "Oh, ma'am, what shall I do? The twins have fallen down the well!"

Fond parent: "Dear me! how annoying! Just go into the library and get the last number of *The Modern Mother's Magazine*; it contains an article on 'How to Bring Up Children.' "

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A young lady who had returned from a tour through Italy with her father informed a friend that he liked all the Italian cities, but most of all he loved Venice.

"Ah, Venice, to be sure," said the friend. "I can readily understand that your father would like Venice, with its gondolas, and St. Markses and Michelangelos."

"Oh, no," the young lady interrupted, "it wasn't that. He liked it because he could sit in the hotel and fish from the window."

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Jokely: "I got a batch of aeroplane jokes ready and sent them out last week."

Boggs: "What luck did you have with them?"

Jokely: "Oh, they all came flying back."

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The late H. C. Bunner, when editor of Puck, once received a letter accompanying a number of would-be jokes in which the writer asked: "What will you give for these?"

"Ten yards start," was Bunner's generous offer, written beneath the query.

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A certain high school professor, who at times is rather blunt in speech, remarked to his class of boys at the beginning of a lesson, "I don't know why it is—every time I get up to speak some fool talks." Then he wondered why the boys burst out into a roar of laughter.



DICK STEINBARD

HE KNOWS HIS WOMEN

Miss First: "A woman traveled all over Europe using only two words.
Does anyone know what they were?"

Phil.: "'How much?'"

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BOW-WOW!

Mr. Peterson: "Who was Sargent?"

Andrew C.: "Dogfood!"

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SURE!

The trouble with most seniors is they are always writing things down
in their minds and then losing their heads!

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B. I.

Math. Teacher: "What would you do if you had an eight-sided figure?"

Brilliancy Itself: "Join a side-show."

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PUR-R-R!

She lay in his arms and snuggled her head against his neck—a rush of
emotion surged through her—tenderly he caressed her; she closed her eyes
in delight.

"Poor Kitty, did I step on your tail?"

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SAME ABODE?

Teacher: "Who was Joan of Arc?"

Pupil: "I don't know. Sounds like she was Noah's wife."

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Early to bed, early to rise, and your girl goes out with other guys.

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SOME POINT

Mr. Kimmel: "What pine has the longest and sharpest needles?"

Eugene H.: "Porcupine."

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HOLD THE LINE, PLEASE!

Betty C.: "Hello, is this the city bridge department?"

Voice: "Yes, what can I do for you?"

B. C.: "How many points do you get for a little slam?"

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YELL!

Wilbur P.: "Do you think I'll ever be able to do anything with my
voice?"

Mr. R.: "It might come in handy in case of fire!"

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She: "Where is your chivalry?"

He: "I turned it in for a Buick."

THE TRUTH

Miss Irvine: "When was the Revival of Learning?"

Bill C.: "Before finals."

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BOYS WILL GROW UP

Freshman: "May I go out tonight, mama?"

Soph.: "Going out tonight, mother! Home at ten."

Junior: "Going out tonight, dad."

Senior: "So long! I'll bring in the milk!"

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FUR DEUTSCHER STUNDEN

Miss Mertz: "Wie kommst du, Herr?"

Bill K.: "Nobody; I comb it myself."

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Miss Mertz: "What is the meaning of 'henaus'?"

Huston P.: "Chicken coop!"

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Miss Robb: "If you subtract 48x from 132x, what's the difference?"

Glenn R.: "Yeah, I think it's a lot of foolishness, too."

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Mr. Kimmel: "Name the organs of sense and their functions!"

Bright pupil: "Well, you see with the eye organ, hear with the ear organ, smell with the nose organ, feel with the hand organ, and eat with the mouth organ."

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Miss Liebe: "I asked you to write your history lesson over twenty times because it was very bad. You have only done it seventeen times! Please explain."

Don H.: "My arithmetic is bad, too!"

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POETRY

After the game is over,
After the field is clear,
Straighten up my shoulder,
Help me find my ear!

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Lines of football men remind us
That they might write their names in blood;
And departing leave behind them,
Half their faces in the mud.

* * *

Mary had a little waist,
'Twas puzzling to her beau,
For everyway the fashions went,
Her waist was sure to go.
Sometimes it was beneath her arms.
Sometimes below her knees,
Sometimes she had no waist at all,
So far as he could see.



THE COMING OF REFORM

When Stran gets in a hurry,
Or Carney's in love again,
When those long-expected finals
Come from the faculty's pen;

When Rockow knows his German,
When Andy's English, he reads,
When Dillon rises to recite,
When each gets what he needs;

When Knox shall take to malted milk,
And scorn to tip his hat;
When the queen of all the fat ones
Must resort to anti-fat;

When Thayer calls upon a girl,
When Trommer's hair turns black,
When Hanson does no longer keep
Those "canned" from coming back;

When Fred works off his cons
When Hendricks' heart is free,
When Milan scenery grows fine
And obstructions cease to be;

When all these various reforms
In the students come about,
Why, then, the faculty will stop
To take a breath, no doubt.

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Es war eine pleine puella
Wer hat a puer for a fellow
Erat bonus und funny
Mit copia money
But sein nomen, I dare not to tell-a.

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WHISTLE!

Professor: "I say, your tubular air container has lost its rotundity."

Bob H.: "What?"

Professor: "The cylindrical apparatus which supports your vehicle is no longer inflated.

Bob: "But—"

Professor: "The elastic fabric surrounding the circular frame whose successive revolutions bear you onward in space has not retained its pristine roundness."

Small Boy: "Hey, mister, you got a flat tire!"

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Bill R.: "And why do you call me pilgrim?"

Kay L.: "Well, every time you call, you make a little progress."

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Prof.: "What would you suggest to bring back prosperity?"

Student: "The horse, sir. Bring back the horse and the country will be stabilized."

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Patron: "This is a very large skating rink you have here."

Manager: "Yes, it has a seating capacity of one thousand."

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DRAMA IN THREE ACTS

Act I—Captain Cook.

Act II—Captain Cook and the cannibals.

Act III—Captain Cooked.

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Katherine: "How do you recognize a gentleman in a crowded car?"

Catherine: "By his general get-up."

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Who saw R. Youngquist and C. Sherston walk in the library one day?
A child's idea of father and son.

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And Jack Brown! A senior even! Left his keys inside his unlocked locker. The teacher locked his locker. Couldn't get the keys for his "car," so he went home on the tri-city snail and left the chug wagon at school all night. Tsk! Tsk! what dumbness!

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THE YOUTH MOVEMENT

A pedestrian is a man whose son is home from college.

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Instructor: What was Columbus' motto?

Sophomore: More miles to the galleon.

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